

IS DELEGATE TO NATIONAL MEETING

Superintendent Mott Acts as Director From Indiana to Council of Education.

SESSION AT RICHMOND, VA.

Member of Committee of Six Educators to Discuss Teaching of Sex Hygiene in Schools.

Supt. Thomas A. Mott of the public schools left today for Richmond, Va., where he will attend a meeting of the Department of Superintendents of the National Education Association. Prof. Mott is one of the two directors from Indiana to the National Council of Education and will serve in an official capacity at the superintendents' meeting which will be in progress several days the first of the week. The purpose of the session is to discuss educational problems in general and to outline the work that is to be done by the leading high schools of the United States.

As a member of the national council, Professor Mott will have the duty of passing upon all educational publications and also the programs for educational meetings. He was appointed to the council last year to serve for a term of six years.

One of the most important questions to be decided by the superintendents at the national meeting is the advisability of teaching sex hygiene in the schools. Professor Mott has been appointed a member of a committee of six to prepare papers upon this subject and their views will be placed before the meeting. The decision by this committee will have a large influence upon teaching sex hygiene in the public schools.

Mr. Mott has given considerable attention to this subject and has come to the conclusion that the public school is not the place to teach the question. He is of the opinion that it is the duty of parents to inform their children upon the subject although the questions asked by the pupils should be answered frankly by their teachers. He is of the opinion that physiology and hygiene should be taught thoroughly in the public schools but particular attention should not be given to pure sex hygiene.

In his paper which will be presented to the national meeting Supt. Mott will set forth the opinion that it is the duty of the public schools to emphasize the purity of the home and to raise the ideals of the pupils. He will show that the domestic science courses such as have been inaugurated in the local schools will have a great influence towards purifying the home life and in raising the ideals of the home. He will present the opinion that the domestic science courses are of much greater value than many believe them to be at this time and that their real worth will be recognized more generally as the results are seen.

Superintendent Mott believes that boys and girls should be taught physiology and hygiene in separate classes and that a man should be in charge of the boys and a lady teacher in

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BOOKS RECEIVED FOR ASSISTANTS

Highway Superintendents Will be Required to Keep Accurate Record of Several Items.

THREE FORMS WILL BE USED

Superintendent Price Expects to Announce Complete List of Assistants in a Few Days.

Henry Price, the county highway superintendent, has about completed the list of assistant superintendents who will be appointed by him and expects to have the names ready for publication in a few days. Under the new highway law the superintendent is imposed with the duty of making a plat of the county highways and dividing the county into districts so that each will have approximately twenty-five miles of free gravel roads. An assistant superintendent will be appointed for each district.

Superintendent Price has completed the plat and has decided upon the assistants for practically all of the divisions. However, several are yet to be appointed and the names will not be made public until the list is complete. Mr. Price was in the city today and said that he was getting the work of the new office in good condition. As this is the first year the office has been in existence there are many details to be looked after and the actual work on the roads can not be started until the routine work is out of the way.

The work of the superintendent and his assistants will be recorded by a regular system of bookkeeping, the forms having been prepared by the state board of accounts. The assistants are required to make many entries relative to the work done by the men under their direction. The forms for the superintendent have not yet been received by Mr. Price but he has been informed that they will be sent out in a few days.

The books for the assistant superintendents have already been received. The forms are in three sections. Form number one consists of parts, keeping the time and accounts of the assistant superintendents, labor employed, inventory, cash book and memorandum.

Form number two calls for a monthly report on all work performed and materials purchased for the month, and shall end on the 22nd day of each month. Form three is the assistant superintendent's receipts for all moneys paid and which is to be filed with the general superintendent of all the pikes.

SCHEDULE INTERRUPTED ON I. C. & S. TRACTION LINE

Car Trouble and Broken High Tension Wire Caused Several Delays on That Road Today.

Car trouble and a broken high tension wire interrupted the schedule on the Indianapolis, Columbus & Southern Traction line this morning. The high tension wire was broken north of Columbus early this morning and

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GEORGE WASHINGTON



WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY WILL BE OBSERVED MONDAY

Postoffice and Banks Will be Closed as Usual on Holiday—No Rural Deliveries.

Although Sunday, February 22, is the anniversary of the birth of George Washington's birthday, the holiday will not be nationally observed until Monday, the 23rd. As usual when the holiday falls on Sunday, it is observed on the following day. Governor Ralston followed this custom when he designated Monday as the legal holiday.

The day will be quietly observed here. The banks will be closed throughout the day and the post office will recognize the holiday. The office will remain open until 10 o'clock a. m. but will close at that hour and will remain closed until 6 o'clock p. m. For one hour from 6 until 7 o'clock p. m. the office will be open. The city carriers will make the usual morning delivery and evening collection. No mail will be distributed in the city during the afternoon. The rural mail carriers will not go out on their routes Monday morning. The postoffice department has established the rule that when the holiday falls on Sunday it shall be observed by the various offices on the following Monday.

As Washington's birthday is a national holiday the saloon will be closed throughout the day. In fact, they can not legally be opened from 11 o'clock tonight until 5 o'clock Tuesday morning. None of the local stores will likely close at any time during the day.

The engine pulling the west bound accommodation broke down this morning as the train pulled into the station here and it took some time to make the repairs.

BASKET BALL TEAM DROPS FAST GAME TO FRANKLIN

Seymour Boys Defeated on Local Floor for First Time This Year—Score 34 to 21.

The Seymour high school basketball team suffered its first defeat on the home floor this year Friday night when Franklin won a fast game by a score 34 to 21. The local team had practiced hard for the game and put up a good fight for victory. The first half closed with Seymour two points in the lead. In the second half, however, the visitors were able to overcome the lead and to add additional points.

Several of the Seymour players were not in their usual good form for the game and were not able to play the entire game. Two of the strongest players were compelled to quit during the second half and while the substitutes worked hard to hold down the score they were not successful in keeping the Franklin boys from finding the baskets. The game was very interesting from the spectators' standpoint. The local school believes that if the team was in good condition it would have won the game last night.

FRANKLIN PLAYERS LOSE WATCH AND \$3.50 IN CASH

Thief Breaks Glass in Window at High School and Enter Room During the Game.

While the basket ball game between the Seymour and Franklin high school teams was in progress at the gymnasium Friday night some one entered the room where the Franklin players had placed their clothing and stole a gold watch valued at \$5 from one

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WOULD CONSTRUCT AEROPLANES HERE

George M. Robbins, of Newark, N. J., is Desirous of Organizing Company, in Seymour.

INVENTOR OF MANY DESIGNS

Expects to Build Machine That Will Fly Across Atlantic Ocean in Twenty-Four Hours.

George M. Robbins, of Newark, N. J., formerly of Vallonia, is authority for the statement that the first flying machine ever placed on exhibition in the world was seen in Seymour during the street fair in 1899. According to Mr. Robbins the machine was built at Vallonia and was the first device of its kind to rise from level ground without motor power. He says he can prove the above statements. He further declares that he was the inventor and maker of the aforesaid machine.

Mr. Robbins is a native of Worcester, Mass., but has lived at Vallonia at two different times within the last forty years. He says that he is a designer, builder and inventor of a certain type of flying machine and has been conducting his experiments for the last forty-seven years. He asserts that he will be able to build a machine that can fly across the Atlantic Ocean from New York to Liverpool in twenty-four hours with perfect safety. His proposed machine will be equipped with two high power electric motors both connected to the same shaft. However they will be operated independently of each other and one will be operated while the other is cooling. Because of the enormous speed the inventor says that the motors will become very hot.

Mr. Robbins writes that he has twenty-four designs of flying machines and that no two of them are just alike. They are different from the Wright machines or hydro-planes in many respects and no machine in use today is just like the designs he has invented. He is of the opinion that he will have no difficulty in constructing his new speed machine and does not doubt for a moment but that he can make the trip across the ocean successfully.

As Mr. Robbins has lived in Jackson county and knows something of the industrial conditions in Seymour, he is desirous of starting a factory for the manufacture of aeroplanes, motor boats and submarine ships. Although he is confident that his factory would be a profitable investment, he is willing to give the residents of Seymour an opportunity to "get in on the ground floor" and says that he will start a plant here if the people of Seymour will offer him any inducements.

Mr. Robbins' plan is to organize a company, sell sufficient stock to erect a shop and properly equip it and manufacture flying machines and motor boats for the market. In his offer he did not state just how extensive a market could be created for his flying machines and submarine boats but thought that would be little or no trouble to dispose of all the

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BRITON EXECUTED AFTER LEGAL TRIAL

Thomas D. Edwards, American Consul at Jaurez, Makes Report After Investigation.

REGARDED AS CONSPIRATOR

General Villa Holds That William S. Benton Was Endeavoring to Take His Life.

Washington, February 21—Thomas D. Edwards, American consul at Jaurez, has made an investigation of the execution of William S. Benton, a wealthy British subject and landowner in Mexico, and finds that he was put to death after trial by court. According to the report of the consul Benton was found to be a conspirator against the life of General Francisco Villa.

It is said that Villa has been trying for some time to place Benton in solitary confinement because of his outspoken criticisms about the outrages against the foreigners in Mexico. General Villa admitted that he had favored the execution of Benton when asked by the American consul at the request of Secretary Bryan.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT IS WAITING ON UNITED STATES

Refuse to Take Any Action Regarding Benton Trouble Until American Policy is Known.

London, February 21—After a preliminary investigation of the execution of William S. Benton in Mexico, the officials of the British government have decided to leave the affair entirely with the United States for the present.

This conclusion was reached today and the United States state department was so notified says the foreign office. The British government is indignant over the execution of Benton but declines to take a hand in the trouble at this time. The future action of the United States is awaited anxiously.

ARBITRATION TREATIES RATIFIED BY THE SENATE

No Amendments Are Offered to Treaties Entered Into With Seven Countries.

Washington, February 21—Without a single amendment arbitration treaties with seven countries were ratified this afternoon by the senator. The treaties were with Spain, Great Britain, Norway, Sweden, Japan, Portugal and Switzerland.

The terms of these treaties have been discussed by the foreign ministers and the state department for several months. The United States has now entered into arbitration treaties with almost all of the principal countries of the world.

Mrs. Andrew Story is confined to her home on Brown street with sickness. She has been ill for three weeks.

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Lettuce, pound .....20c  
Celery, bunch .....10c  
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Country, fresh side pork, lb.....15c  
Country, dried Apples, lb.....10c

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## BRITISH LION IS READY TO ROAR

Killing of a Scotchman in Mex-  
ico Starts Things.

### FAR-REACHING EFFECT LIKELY

When Pancho Villa Shot or Ordered  
Executed William S. Benton, a Brit-  
ish Subject, He Apparently Started  
Something For Which and His Rev-  
olutionary Government Will Have to  
Give a Strict Account.

London, Feb. 21.—When the news  
of the killing of Benton was received  
in London the only reply which could  
be obtained at the foreign office in an-  
swer to questions about the affair was  
"we have no information of the crime."

Washington, Feb. 21.—A new and  
serious aspect is believed to have been  
placed on the Mexican situation by  
the disclosure that William S. Benton,  
a Scotchman, subject of Great Britain,  
and for twenty-five years a ranchman  
in northern Mexico, had been killed in  
Juarez, presumably either at the hands  
of or direction of General Villa, the  
rebel leader in command at that place.

The incident is regarded as of the  
highest importance internationally be-  
cause of the traditional policy of Eng-  
land in leaving nothing undone to com-  
pel respect for her subjects abroad and  
seeking the punishment of those re-  
sponsible for the death or injury of  
her citizens. Because of what seems to  
be the unusually flagrant features of  
the Benton killing, it is believed here  
that it puts squarely up to Great  
Britain the question of what she is go-  
ing to do about conditions in Mexico  
which endanger the life of her sub-  
jects in that country. The United  
States government will have the keen-  
est interest in whatever course the  
British government decides upon when  
informed of the killing of Benton.

Official notice of the death of Ben-  
ton has been received by Secretary  
Bryan in dispatches from Consul Ed-  
wards at Juarez. In response to a re-  
quest from the British ambassador,  
Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, Sec-  
retary Bryan had instructed Consul Ed-  
wards to make an investigation in  
Juarez as to the whereabouts of Ben-  
ton, about whom his relatives were  
becoming anxious. Consul Edwards  
saw General Villa in person and from  
him obtained confirmation of the fact  
that Benton was dead. Mr. Bryan has  
instructed Consul Edwards to make a  
complete investigation as to the cir-  
cumstances and manner of Benton's  
death.

It appears from information receiv-  
ed here that Benton was killed on  
Tuesday night. He was last seen alive  
on the same day, when he was making  
his way to the house of Villa to pro-  
test against the injuries his ranch had  
suffered at the hands of men under  
Villa's command. His failure to re-  
appear following his visit to Villa's  
house alarmed his friends and relatives  
and a search was instituted for  
him. It is reported that Villa at first  
denied all knowledge of Benton, that  
his subordinates were evasive, but  
that later he admitted he knew some-  
thing of his whereabouts and "used  
him of threatening him, and finally  
admitted that the man was dead. That  
Villa may have killed him with his  
own hand is not regarded as impos-  
sible, for it is not believed that even  
in Juarez Benton could have been ar-  
rested, tried, convicted and executed  
in the afternoon and evening of Tues-  
day, and it is known that he was killed  
on Tuesday night.

The hasty departure of General Villa  
for the south on a special train im-  
mediately after it became known in Ju-  
arez that Benton was dead is regarded  
here as a fact giving the case a more  
ugly appearance.

That Great Britain is in a peculiarly  
difficult position with regard to the  
Benton case is admitted here, assum-  
ing that she will wish to observe her  
traditional policy of securing the pun-  
ishment of those responsible for the  
deaths of British subjects in foreign  
lands. Her hands, as are those of  
other European nations, are regarded  
as more or less tied by the accession  
to the request of the United States  
that no action be taken by these gov-  
ernments in Mexico until the United  
States has made known its policy.  
Were it not for their deference to the  
United States, there is little doubt that  
Great Britain and the European na-  
tions would have taken some action  
in Mexico long ago.

### VILLA FEARED CONSPIRACY

That Is What Rebel Leader Told Con-  
sul Edwards About It.

El Paso, Feb. 21.—William S. Ben-  
ton, a British subject, went before  
General Pancho Villa to protest in per-  
son against depredations by Villa's  
men on his ranch in southwestern  
Chihuahua. Villa cursed and slapped  
him and Benton drew back to strike  
Villa in resentment of the oath and  
blow, when Villa knocked him down  
with his revolver. Whether the man  
was shot by Villa as he lay on the  
floor, or was later executed by order  
of the rebel courtmartial, as officially  
stated by rebel officers, is not pos-  
itively known.  
It was first said that Frederico Gon-  
zales Garza was head of the court that

### SIR LIONEL GARDEN

British Ambassador Is Leaving  
Mexico at a Critical Juncture.



Photo by American Press Association.

Vera Cruz, Feb. 21.—T. R. Behler,  
the British secretary of legation here,  
who will act as charge d'affaires dur-  
ing the absence of Sir Lionel Garden  
in England, who arrived here yester-  
day, left last night for the capital. No  
special car was sent for him, but Pres-  
ident Huerta will furnish a special  
coach to Sir Lionel Garden, who will  
arrive here from Mexico City on Sun-  
day and sail next day on a British cru-  
iser for Key West.

tried Benton. Garza denied any con-  
nection with the execution or trial,  
and said that Major Rodriguez presid-  
ed at the trial.

The Mexican wife of the dead man  
and also William Benton, cousin of  
the man, both declare that the Eng-  
lishman was not armed when he went  
to Villa to protest at the depredations  
on the ranch. Villa, it is understood,  
in relating his story to Consul Ed-  
wards, declared that Benton drew a  
revolver and that he already had evi-  
dence connecting Benton with the con-  
spiracy to assassinate him.

One of Benton's brothers is said to  
be a captain in the British army. A  
grandfather is said to have been a  
general at Balaklava.

Gustav Bauch, a German, is held in  
prison by Villa in Juarez, undergoing  
investigation on a charge of being a  
Huerta spy. Consul Edwards has ac-  
cepted the statement from the man's  
sister that he is an American and he  
has notified the rebels that he must  
not be executed.

Inquiry has revealed the death of  
another American on the train which  
Maximo Castillo is accused of having  
sent to its doom in Cumbre tunnel two  
weeks ago. The inquiry was for H. C.  
Richardson of Pittsburg, and investi-  
gation showed that he was here and  
intended to accompany Lee E. Wil-  
liams, the commissary officer of the  
railroad, to Madera. Williams was on  
the train and lost his life with the  
fifty others who perished. Richardson  
has not been seen since that time. He  
was to have gone south on a hunting  
trip in the mountains and was to  
have been Williams's companion that  
day.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

President Wilson expects that the  
Panama canal will be completed and  
ready for use this fall.

The German fishing schooner Fer-  
elle sank with its crew of thirteen men  
on its way to Iceland.

Safe blowers obtained \$1,100 in  
stamps and money when they blew  
open the postoffice safe at Keensburg,  
Ill.

According to statistics compiled by  
the government it costs an average  
family of five \$1,085.19 a year to live  
in New York.

Eight persons were killed by an ex-  
plosion in a powder works at Ardsre,  
in Ayrshire. The shock of the explo-  
sion was felt for twenty miles.

The initials in a hat left behind by  
a burglar in a Bronx flat led to the  
capture of George W. Acker, a profes-  
sional choir singer in New York.

Jake Stahl, former leader of the  
Boston American league team, is said  
to have agreed to become manager of  
the Brooklyn Federal league club.

The French war office will store  
10,000,000 pounds of flour in Paris for  
use of the city in case the railroads  
are being used to mobilize the army.

The Uruguayan government is in-  
vestigating an alleged conspiracy  
among discontented officers of the  
army and navy to overthrow the gov-  
ernment.

# The Scott and Jackson Oil and Gas Company

The Scott and Jackson Oil and Gas Company  
has been incorporated for the purpose of con-  
tinuing the oil development in Scott and Jack-  
son Counties. If oil is struck in paying quanti-  
ties, it means a big boost for the two counties  
and everybody in this part of Indiana. It will  
bring people and money to Seymour and every  
other town in the vicinity, and this means in-  
creased property values, increased business for  
the merchant, increased land values for the  
farmer, increased business for the professional  
men, increased business for the contractor. In  
fact, it will bring general prosperity.

No one will dispute the truth of the above  
statements in case we are successful in striking  
oil. Everybody should be sufficiently interested  
to take a few shares of this stock in order to  
help bring about a condition that means so  
much to the community.

True, this is not an investment, but a specu-  
lation, but everyone should be willing to help  
a little in order to take a chance on bettering  
their condition. It is not a question of whether  
you can afford to do but rather whether you  
can afford not to do so; the few dollars you  
invest in this will not break you in case we do  
not strike oil. A few dollars invested in this  
stock will help to bring it to a successful issue,  
and by so doing you will have made an honest  
endeavor to better your condition and the con-  
dition of the entire community.

Everyone should take a few dollars worth of  
this stock and help carry on this development.  
We cannot guarantee to strike oil, but we can  
guarantee honest and capable management of  
the affairs of the Company to the best interests  
of every stockholder, be he large or small stock-

holder. If we all pull together, it will be easy.  
If everybody will appoint himself a committee  
of one to take a small amount of stock, we can,  
by so doing, test out our territory, as it has nev-  
er been tested before.

By deep drilling we believe our chances for  
success are good. Efforts have been made in this  
vicinity in past years, but no deep drilling has  
been done. Do not let the results of the past efforts  
discourage you in this undertaking, for we are  
going deeper as long as indications are favora-  
ble. Please bear in mind that if our determined  
efforts are successful, Seymour and neighboring  
towns will boom as other towns have boomed  
where the oil development has been a success.  
All it takes is determination and money to bring  
this undertaking to a successful issue. We have  
the determination; it is up to you to play your  
part by taking a few shares of stock, and there-  
by helping to carry on this development. It will  
be accomplished by the pooling of small inter-  
ests. If you win, you win big; if you lose, you  
lose little because you haven't invested much.  
Impress this firmly upon your mind.

I will call on you personally as soon as it is  
possible for me to do so, and I will be pleased to  
answer any questions you may wish to ask, or  
give you any information you may desire in re-  
gard to the affairs of the Company.

I have arranged with the Republican office  
that subscriptions for any amount of this stock  
may be left in their care if it is more convenient  
for you and I will acknowledge its receipt  
promptly.

Very truly yours,  
GEO. J. RIEHM, Sec'y.,  
Seymour, Ind.

## AGRICULTURAL BILL WANTS \$18,947,000

### Committee's Report Proposes Radical Changes.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Chairman  
Lever of the house committee on ag-  
riculture has reported to the house the  
annual agricultural appropriation bill.  
It aggregates \$18,947,000, exclusive  
of permanent appropriations, and in-  
crease of \$900,000 over last year's to-  
tal. Many radical changes are pro-  
posed in the measure, including re-  
organization of the weather bureau  
and preparation by the secretary of  
agriculture of a plan for reorganizing  
and systematizing the department  
work so as to better co-ordinate its  
various activities.

Governor Ralston of Indiana, who  
came here to attend the Knights of  
Pythias jubilee, was introduced to the  
president by Secretary Bryan. The  
secretary of state took both Governor  
Ralston and Governor Dunne of Illi-  
nois to the White House at the cab-  
inet hour, and under the circumstances  
it was possible for them to have only  
a minute with the president. Both  
the president and Secretary Tumulty  
greeted the two governors cordially.

Mrs. Samuel H. Shank of Indianap-  
olis, wife of the consul at Fiume,  
Hungary, called on members of the  
Indiana delegation to urge them to use  
their influence in having the state de-  
partment transfer her husband to the  
consulate at Rome. Mr. Shank has  
been in the consular service for a de-  
cade. He was consul at Mannheim,  
Germany, before his assignment to  
Fiume.

Vice President Marshall has accept-  
ed an invitation to deliver a St. Pat-  
rick's day address at Hartford, Conn.,  
March 17. He has another engage-  
ment to speak at Camden, N. J., April  
17.

The annual Indian appropriation bill  
carrying \$9,619,737, a reduction of \$2-  
165,127 from the bureau estimates, has  
passed the house.

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### Health and the Open Winter.

The old-time theory that an open winter is prolific of ill-health seems to be disproved for the present season, in Chicago at least. The winter has been unusually mild, the thermometer on January 28 recording 60 degrees. There has been practically no snow throughout the months of December and January. According to the Bulletin of the Chicago Department of Health, there has been for the eight weeks ending January 24 a reduction of 29.6 per cent. in the pneumonia death rate as compared with the average of a like period for the previous five years; 23.3 per cent. in influenza and 7.8 per cent. in the rate for tuberculosis. There have likewise been reductions of measles, which dropped 82 per cent.; scarlet fever, 54 per cent.; diphtheria, 24.2 per cent.; and whooping cough, 18.2 per cent. The Bulletin accounts for this by the opportunity given by the mild weather for out-door living and better ventilation in living quarters. It is estimated that in the diseases named there has been a saving of 515 lives during the six weeks of December and January for which the comparison was made.

### How Is Your Boiler?

It has been stated that man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by all dealers.

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## THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION LAW

### New Burdens Laid On the Indiana School Teachers.

#### TO EQUIP THEMSELVES FOR IT

It is Pointed Out That Under the New Statute Teachers Must Be Prepared to Impart Instruction Along Lines of Domestic Science, Agriculture and Manual Training in Addition to Present Subjects Taught.

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 21.—Purdue university is now sending to all the teachers of the state a special bulletin on the "Preparation of Teachers of Vocational Subjects."

In discussing the requirements of teachers, President W. E. Stone, author of the bulletin, says: "The vocational education law now in force in Indiana requires the teaching of vocational subjects in all public schools of the state. This immediately creates the demand for teachers competent to administer these subjects, of which from the nature of things, there is at present a great lack."

"Teaching domestic science, agriculture and manual training requires special preparation, which should rest upon a good foundation of academic training, professional preparation and successful experience. Any teacher who has these preliminary qualifications may without difficulty acquire the necessary additional preparation for teaching vocational subjects by special study."

President Stone calls attention to the opportunities at Purdue university for the preparation of teachers, saying that all the resources and facilities of the university are offered for the benefit of those who wish to prepare themselves for vocational teaching in the state, and special attention is called to the summer school for teachers, which will be held June 13 to July 25.

### COURT REVERSES JUDGMENT

Employer Relieved of Responsibility For Youth's Injury.

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—The appellate court has reversed the Laporte circuit court for giving Charles F. Kronewitter a judgment of \$5,000 against the Dodge Manufacturing company. Kronewitter was injured while attempting to adjust a compressed air hammer after he had shut the compressed air off in a valve 100 feet distant without exhausting the compressed air in the intervening 100 feet of hose leading to the hammer.

He contended that on account of his youth, he being only twenty years old, and his inexperience, he was unable to comprehend the danger of attempting the act while the hose was thus filled with compressed air. Although the jury gave the injured boy a liberal verdict of damages, it answered interrogatories stating as a fact that he could have discovered, while in the company's employ and before the injury, that when the valve which he turned was shut off, the air remaining in the pipe had force enough to injure him. The jury found that this could have been done had he exercised the care for his safety reasonably to be expected from one of his age and experience.

The court, though holding that an employer must use care to protect his employes and instruct young and inexperienced employes, says that this rule will not give damages to one who does an act, which, in the light of his knowledge and experience, is negligent, and is thereby injured.

### Book Ready For New Mothers.

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—The Indiana Mothers' Baby Book, provision for which was made by the 1913 legislature, has come from the press and is being held by the state board of health for distribution, beginning when the reports of February births are received in March. The book is the result of the efforts of Dr. J. N. Hurty, state health commissioner, and many of the women in the state who appeared before committees and worked with individual members of the last legislature to have it include an appropriation of \$2,500 for the publication of the baby book. This amount was just half that asked by the state board.

### Caused Wild Rush For Door.

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 21.—Charles Hanley, aged twenty-eight, a tailor, entered a saloon and, drawing a huge revolver from his pocket, shot himself in the abdomen. There is no hope for his recovery. Several people were in the saloon when Hanley drew the pistol, and there was a wild rush for the door.

### Declared Him Dead Too Soon.

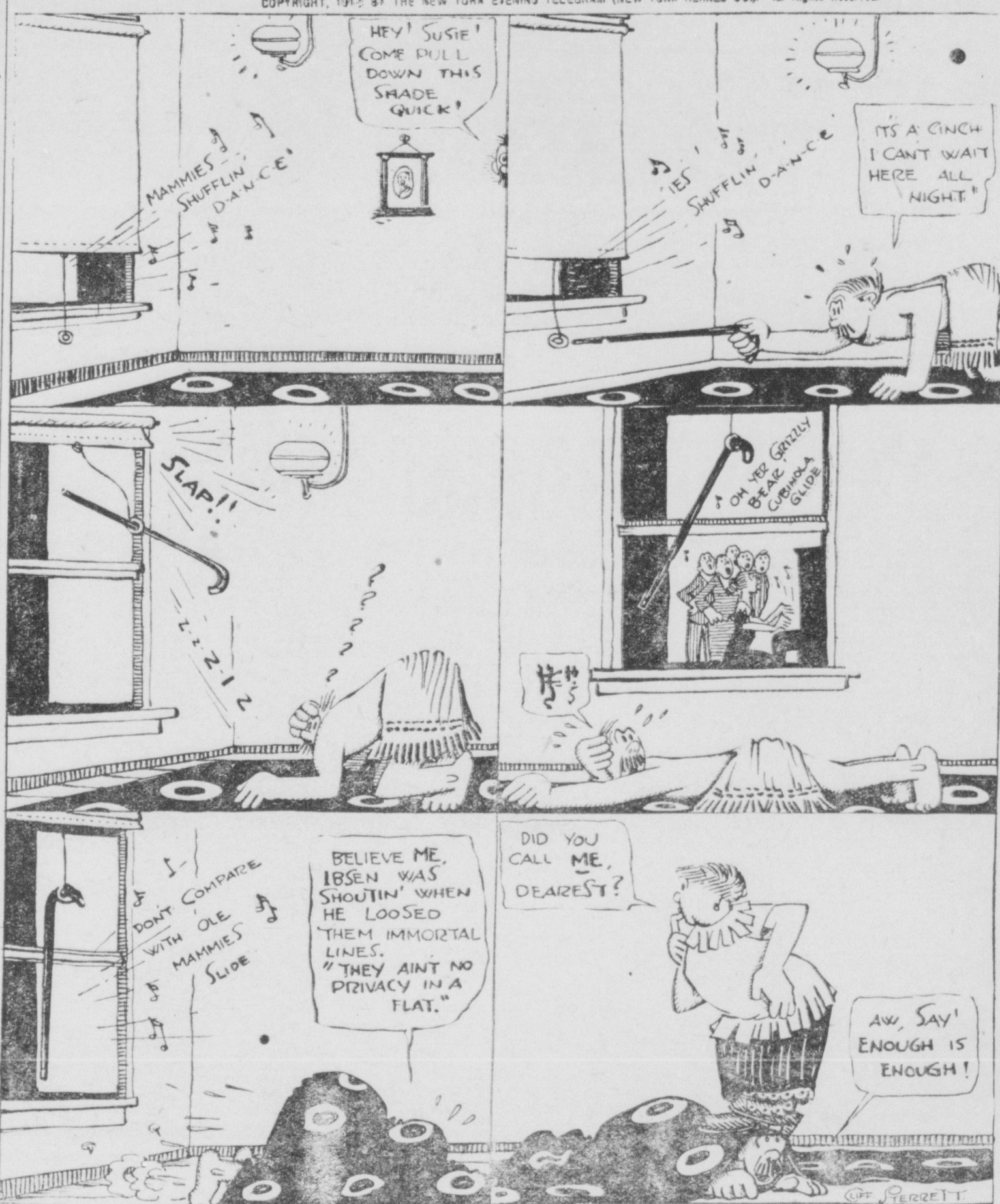
Warsaw, Ind., Feb. 21.—Elisha Stephenson, who disappeared from here twenty-seven years ago and who was legally declared dead in the Kosciusko circuit court last summer, has appeared here to prove ownership of property valued at \$6,000.

### Water Nearing Danger Mark.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 21.—The Ohio river here is rising rapidly. It is expected the river will pass the danger line of thirty-five feet by the middle of next week.

## WHEN A MAN'S MARRIED

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## IN INTEREST OF CAUCASIAN RACE

### President Says Free Tolls Provision Must Go.

#### MAY PROLONG THE SESSION

With the President's Declaration That the United States Cannot at This Time Propose Any Doctrine at Variance With the Interests of the Dominant Races, Canal Tolls Question Becomes Paramount in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The position of the president in regard to the necessity for an amendment to the Panama canal act which shall repeal the free tolls provision for American ships engaged in the coastwise trade, is founded upon an appreciation of the necessity for such action on the part of this government. In private conversations of late with members of both houses of congress the president has been frank in his expression of the view that the present is no time for the United States to propose any doctrine at variance with the universal interest of the Caucasian races in general and with the English speaking nations in particular. He has let it be known that the international question must "under existing circumstances" dominate the local question. He also has informed his interviewers that the repeal of the free tolls provisions must be absolute.

The impression is quite general that consideration of the repeal bill will indefinitely prolong the current session of congress.

Colonel Goethals, the canal builder, who is to be the first governor of the canal zone, is here on his annual visit, and is outspoken in favor of the repeal of the free tolls provision. "I have always opposed the exemption of any ships," said the famous engineer, "because I want all the money we can get out of the operation of the canal."

Colonel Goethals declared that the fortifications of the canal were in his judgment adequate and said their construction had progressed satisfactorily. The works on the Atlantic side are about completed and those on the Pacific side are about two-thirds finished. None of the big guns have yet been mounted. He expresses the opinion that the canal will be opened to the use of commercial vessels about July 1 next.

### Don't You Believe It.

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### JOHN J. MCGOVERN.

New Jersey Judge Who Cures Boys of Cigarette Habit.



Photo by American Press Association.

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 20.—Recorder John J. McGovern is scoring a distinct success with his method of curing boys of the cigarette smoking habit. He has the mouths of the lads painted with a solution of nitrate of silver, which causes them to become sick to their stomachs when cigarette smoke comes in contact with the lining of their mouths.

### Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effective and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers.

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### The Thaw Case Again.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 21.—In the United States court here before Judge Aldrich, five hours were given to the discussion of the habeas corpus proceedings filed several months ago on behalf of Harry K. Thaw. The court probably will announce a decision the first of next week.

Mrs. Virgil Bryant, of Huntington, W. V., who has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Galbraith, is in Cincinnati to spend a few days.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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### THEY KNEW WHERE TO GO

Train Robbers Were Wise to Rich Registered Mail Bags.

Meridian, Miss., Feb. 21.—The robbers who held up a Queen and Crescent passenger train near Birmingham Thursday night got between \$10,000 and \$60,000 from registered mail, according to an estimate of C. E. Shores, superintendent of the Birmingham-Chatanooga division of the railway mail service. On his arrival here Mr. Shores said the bandits knew exactly where to find the registered mail and did not trouble themselves with the less valuable pouches.

### Another Train Robbery.

Bellingham, Wash., Feb. 21.—The conductor and two passengers on a Great Northern train were killed while resisting bandits who boarded the train near Burlington, Wash., and escaped after robbing the passengers.

### Successor to Senator Bacon.

Atlanta, Feb. 21.—With over fifty candidates from whom to choose an interim successor to the late United States Senator Bacon, the indications are that Governor Slaton will probably select John T. Boisselot of Macon, private secretary to the late senator and also secretary of the senate for eign affairs committee, of which Mr. Bacon was chairman.

### The Best Cough Medicine.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been keeping house," says L. C. Hames, of Marbury, Ala. "I consider it one of the best remedies I ever used. My children have all taken it and it works like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent. For sale by all dealers."

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## TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

### DOES MODERATE DRINKING PAY?

Answering the argument of the moderate drinker that there is a certain quantity of alcohol which can be used without danger, Dr. Henry Smith Williams, the well-known investigator, says:

"Conceivably that is true, though it is not proved. In any event no man can tell you what that safe quantity is—if safe quantity there be—in any individual case."

"But this much I predict with confidence: Whatever the 'safe' quantity of alcohol for you to take, you will unquestionably at times exceed it. In a tolerably wide experience of men and of many nations, I have never known a habitual drinker who did not sometimes take more alcohol than even the most liberal scientific estimate could claim as harmless. Therefore, I believe you must do the same."

"I am bound to believe, in the light of what science has revealed, if you take alcohol habitually (1) that you are tangibly threatening the physical structures of your stomach, your liver, your kidneys, your heart, your blood vessels, your nerves, your brain; (2) that you are unequivocally decreasing your capacity for work in any field, be it physical, intellectual or artistic; (3) that you are in some measure lowering the grade of your mind, dulling your higher esthetic sense and taking the finer edge off your morals; (4) that you are distinctly lessening your chances of maintaining health and attaining longevity, and (5) that you are entailing upon your descendants yet unborn a bond of incalculable misery."

"Such, I am bound to believe, is the probable cost of your 'moderate' indulgence in alcoholic beverages. Part of that cost you may pay in person; the balance will be the heritage of future generations. As a mere business proposition, is your glass of beer, your bottle of wine, your highball, or your cocktail worth the price?"

### OFFICIAL TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION.

The following manifesto has been indorsed by the minister of education in Germany, and is being sent out by the German health office to be posted in public places:

Do not give your child a single drop of wine.

Not a drop of beer.

Not a drop of spirits.

Why?

Because alcohol in every form and even in small doses injures children.

How?

First—It checks their physical and intellectual development.

Second—Consumption of spirits brings with it exhaustion and causes weariness and inattention in school children.

Third—Alcohol helps increase disobedience to parents.

Fourth—It causes sleeplessness and premature nervousness.

Fifth—It causes infant mortality.

Sixth—It weakens the body's powers of resistance and prepares the ground in this way for many sicknesses.

Seventh—It increases the duration of various sicknesses.

Eighth—It awakens thirst continually, and can in this way make men habitual drinkers.

### DRINK NOT STRENGTHENING.

Intoxicating liquors can supply you with no energy, no force. They cannot add to your strength. Alcohol, like whip or spur applied to a horse, draws strength from you, or rather out of you, but it can give you none. So far from helping you, beer, wine and spirits will hinder you in whatever work you have to do. Other things being equal, you will have the greatest steadiness of hand, firmness of grasp, and clearness of mind, by total abstinence from every kind of intoxicating liquor.

This has been my own experience, and it has been the experience of vast numbers of men and women living in every country, and following every kind of occupation. Alcohol has been found to reduce the strength, and the hardest work has been best and most easily accomplished under total abstinence.—Dr. Norman N. Kerr.

### NOT ADVERTISED AS A BENEFIT.

"How would you answer a man who says saloons help build up towns?" By saying it is not true, and I challenge the proof. Talk is not proof. In advertising the advantages of cities and towns, banks and all sorts of useful business, and manufacturing enterprises, schools, churches, and railroads are mentioned, but saloons are never mentioned, or hinted at. Why is that?—Exchange

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The statesmen of tomorrow are to be found in this year of our Lord 1913 among the little folk of our own neighborhood, of our own town or city. In that company there are boys who will some day sit in congress, occupy places in the state legislature, be called to the position of chief executive of the state, act as mayors, or chiefs of police of our great cities. Is it not well worth our time to devote ourselves to preparing these prospective statesmen for their tasks.



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To accomplish this we have had our buyers scouring the great White Goods markets picking up the most desirable lines in the largest quantities, thereby obtaining the lowest prices to which spot cash buyers are entitled.

To Seymour and Surrounding Country We Give the Benefit of Our Efforts.

This great showing of beautiful White Goods is comprised of dainty Undermuslins, Princess Slips, Corset Covers, Chemises, Skirts, Combinations Gowns and Drawers, things dear to the neat and daintily dressed lady. Snow white Sheetings, Towels, Linens, Bed Spreads, Sheets, Pillow Cases and the hundreds of other articles that appeal to the good house wife:

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## NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

A. Stenwedel is sick at his home with the grip.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Mattox, West Terre Haute, Feb. 20th, a son, Donald Meseke Mattox.

Joseph Rottman underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Schneck Memorial Hospital Friday afternoon. The operation was quite serious, but he is improving nicely today.

Chas. W. Graessle, who has been at the city hospital for over two weeks, following an operation, was taken to his home on North Poplar street today. He is recovering rapidly.

## FRANKLIN PLAYERS LOSE WATCH AND \$3.50 IN CASH

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boy and \$3.50 in cash from another. There is no clew to the guilty party although the school officials are investigating the theft. It is not believed that the watch and money were taken by any of the high school boys.

The Franklin boys were assigned the dressing room on the north side of the basement and entrance was gained to the room by breaking a small piece from the glass window and throwing the window latch. The window could easily be raised from the outside when the latch was thrown. The theft was discovered after the game was over and while the local boys endeavored to find some trace of the thief they were not able to uncover any clews that would lead to his identity. This is the first time that thieves have entered the high school gymnasium for several years.

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## JAMES T. LEARY BECOMES COMPTROLLER OF THE B. & O.

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The announcement is made by the B. & O. Railroad of the promotion of James T. Leary General Auditor to the position of Comptroller of the Company to succeed the late Capt. George W. Booth. The appointment was effective yesterday. The new comptroller of the B. & O. was born Sept. 17, 1858 at Ithaca, N. Y. He is a graduate of Cornell University of the Class of '80 having taken up a special course of Scientific studies. Mr. Leary first entered railway service with the Pennsylvania Company as a clerk in the Mechanical department at Fort Wayne, Ind. in June 1882. In May 1883 he was promoted to Chiefship in the office of Supt. of Motive Power of the same Company and in November 1899 was made Chief Clerk to the general superintendent Motive Power of the Pennsylvania Lines west of Pittsburgh with headquarters in that city. He came to the B. & O. in June 1901 as assistant to the General Manager at Baltimore and was advanced to General Auditor in April 1902 having held that position for the last twelve years.

## SCHEDULE INTERRUPTED ON I. C. & S. TRACTION LINE

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several of the cars were delayed until the linemen repaired the break. Some time was required to find out just where the break had occurred and it was after 10 o'clock before the full current was turned on.

The northbound limited car due here at 11:17 was delayed almost an hour because of a hot box. The car was late in arriving at the local station and the passengers were told that they would be transferred to another car. In the meantime, however, the employees at the car barns succeeded in cooling the heated axle and the car continued the trip. The limited left here after 12 o'clock.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us, during our sad bereavement in the death of our dear mother, Mrs. Wilhelmina Schleter. We also wish to thank the ministers for their consoling words of comfort, and the undertaker. Their acts of kindness will always be remembered.

The Children.

Large 10c rolls of toilet paper now at 5c at Quinn's Plumbing Shop. f23d

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## CAMP MEETING DATES FIXED BY HOLINESS ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting Will be Held at Silver Hills July 30 to August 9.—Officers Elected.

The Ohio Falls Holiness Association, which has conducted an annual camp meeting on its camp ground in Silver Hills back of New Albany for several years, held its annual meeting yesterday to fix the date for the camp meeting next year and to elect officers for the ensuing year. The date for the camp meeting was fixed at July 30 to August 9. The Rev. Will H. Huff and the Rev. C. E. Ruth will be the evangelists in charge and the Asbury College Glee Club will lead the singing. A number from here attend the camp meeting each year.

Officers and directors elected for the ensuing years are: The Rev. H. C. Morrison of Livermore, Ky., president; L. G. Stork, of New Albany, vice president; E. E. McPheeters, New Albany, secretary and treasurer, and the Rev. H. C. Morrison, L. G. Stork, E. E. McPheeters, H. J. Martin and W. F. Dickson, directors.

## Walking to Coast.

Gary, Ind., Feb. 21—Little has been heard from the three Gary men who started recently on a walking trip to the Pacific coast. The remarkable feature of their trip is that they will spend only four days there, and then will "walk right out again." They expect to be back in Gary by September.

The men are associated with a Slavish daily published here. Anthony Senko, leader of the group, is said to be one of the best known foreign editors in this section. He is accompanied by Joe Nemesek and George Baran. Their trip leads them through Chicago and St. Louis.

## Banquet and Musicales.

The banquet and musicale arranged for the congregation of the First M. E. church and the public will be given Monday night. Admission 35 cents for adults, 20 cents for children. Supper served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Tickets may be procured from Bush's Shoe Store, Modern Clothing Co. and Mayes' Grocery. Hancock's orchestra will furnish music during the supper hours. The supper will be served in the Sunday School room.

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## ENTERTAINMENT BY BINGHAM WILL BE EVENING OF MIRTH

Noted Humorist, and Impersonator Will Appear at First M. E. Church Wednesday Night.

Ralph Bingham, another number on the forthcoming entertainment course, is a humorist who for thirty-five years has been making large audiences laugh and still is in the prime of life. This is accounted for by the fact that his first appearance was at the age of six years, when he traveled as the "Boy Orator of America." His appearances on the American continent number nearly 10,000. The past summer he has been traveling in Europe.

T. De Witt Talmage, after hearing Bingham, said: "Bless Bingham and



RALPH BINGHAM.

all the apostolic college of humorists. The man that makes me laugh is my benefactor. God bless all skillful punsters, all those who mirthfully surprise us with unusual juxtaposition of words. Theirs is a divine mission."

Mr. Bingham is an impersonator, a humorist, a violinist, a pianist and a vocalist. The coming season his wife will travel with him and play the accompaniments for his vocal and violin selections.

## Returns Stolen Money.

Return of stolen money is made in a letter signed "A Sinner Saved From Grace" was received by Victor Wright, of Corydon. The letter contained three \$1 bills, which the writer stated he had stolen from Mr. Wright's mother, Mrs. Anna Wright, of Corydon, a number of years ago. The writer disguised his handwriting. The letter was mailed on a Louisville-St. Louis train of the Southern railroad. The letter bore no date. Mrs. Wright stated that she had no recollection of the money having been stolen from her.

## ELKHART SCHOOL GIRL IS CHAMPION ESSAY WRITER

Mary Vrbovec Given Gold Prize in Contest Conducted by Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

By United Press.  
Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 21—Mary Vrbovec in the eighth grade of the Central school of Elkhart, was told today that she was the champion essay writer of the school children of Indiana. Ruth Morgan of the Jimison country school in Dearborn county received second prize. The prizes, gold and silver medals, were awarded by the Indiana Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, and were competed for by 300,000 children in 10,000 school rooms.

Walter D. Thurber, executive secretary of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, who conceived the idea of the mammoth contest, forwarded the prizes yesterday and made the names public today. He said that 24,000 ribbons already had been given to prize winners and that a bronze medal had gone to the best essayist in each county.

Each essay was written after the teacher had read to the children a story concerning the white plague, written in the executive offices of the society at Indianapolis. The children then composed their own themes, basing them for the most part on the story, and adding to the whole from their imagination and general knowledge.

Little Miss Vrbovec in her essay gave the surprising information that tuberculosis "has been traced back 3,000 years and probably was one of the plagues that Moses invoked on the Egyptians." Leaving that theory at that point, she went on to give an interesting account of modern methods of fighting the "plague," dwelling some on the terrible results of tuberculosis.

Each essay was graded in its own county, and the winners were then given over to a state commission composed of Charles A. Greathouse, superintendent of public instruction; John N. Hurty, secretary of the state board of health, and Severance Burrage, president of the State Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

Back of it all is the desire of those fighting tuberculosis to interest the school children in the fight. With this accomplished, they say, a great step has been achieved in the way of prevention. That the children were interested was evidenced, Thurber said, by the remarkable return of essays. The National Association, with which the state Anti-Tuberculosis Society is allied, has noted the contest and has sent a representative here to benefit from the novel scheme that has so interested the school children.

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## RURAL POPULATION WILLING TO SUPPORT BETTER SCHOOLS

Found That Condition of Highways Directly Influence the Attendance.

Washington, D. C., February 21.—The rural population is more willing to support better schools today than at any previous time. It is being realized that all educational activities or agencies must be more or less correlated, and, more than all else, that they must be made accessible to the children. In many counties where bad roads prevail, most of the schools are of the antiquated one-room variety. They are usually located along bad roads which during the winter, when the schools are usually in session, become so nearly impassable as to make it difficult for the children to reach them. This condition causes irregular attendance and restricts the educational opportunities of the child. Not only this, but it often impedes the economic consolidation of these smaller courses, directed by a competent principal and corps of teachers, according to the Office of Public Roads, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

On the other hand, in counties which have improved their roads, the schools are easily reached, the average attendance greater, the efficiency largely increased and economic consolidation made possible. Regular attendance at school means consistent and regular growth of both school and pupil, and consolidation of schools means a maximum of efficiency at a minimum of cost. It is also noteworthy that there is a marked tendency for the consolidated school to become the social and intellectual center of the community. Most modern rural schoolhouses are so constructed as to serve the community as gathering places for various kinds of public meetings, and where vans are used to convey the children to school during the day they are frequently pressed into service to haul the farmers and their wives to institute work, lectures, or entertainments at the schoolhouse. The consolidated school becomes a sort of community center to which all educational and social activities converge, and in order that it may properly perform that function all of the highways leading to it should be so improved as to render it readily accessible throughout the year.

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### WIFE PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO MURDER OF HUSBAND

Mrs. Sarah E. Heyn, of Henryville, Arraigned in the Clark Circuit Court.

Mrs. Sarah E. Heyn, who lives near Henryville, was arraigned in the Clark circuit court Friday to answer to the charge of murdering her husband, Henry W. Heyn. It is alleged that the defendant shot her husband Friday evening, January 23 and that his death resulted from the wound. She is about fifty years of age. She was indicted Thursday and arrested a few hours after the indictment was returned.

Mrs. Heyn appeared in court dressed in deepest mourning but failed to show the slightest emotion. She was accompanied by her son. A motion was filed to quash the indictment but this motion was overruled. When arraigned she pleaded not guilty. It is understood that she will ask for release upon habeas corpus proceeding. Since January 31 when she was arrested she has been released under a \$10,000 bond.

### Dog Owners.

The city dog license of \$1.00 for the year 1914 must be paid to the city clerk on or before Saturday, Feb. 28th. Owners of dogs without the city tag after that date will be prosecuted.

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### PERSONAL.

Miss Mabel Gray went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.  
Mrs. Oscar Stevens went to North Vernon this morning to spend the day.  
Mrs. Frank J. Voss went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

Misses Anna Massman and Julia Kerkhof went to Louisville this morning.

E. M. Young returned Friday evening from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Groub went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

Miss Eva Day came from Hayden this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Joe Hedges.

Mrs. O. D. Schooley and daughter were here from Vallonia this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Charles Dixon went to Ft. Ritner this morning to spend the day with her parents.

Miss Emma Vonfange went to Jonesville this morning to visit with relatives over Sunday.

Miss Bernice White left this morning for Greencastle to visit Miss Anna Shields for several days.

Capt. Ralph Applewhite of Brownstown, was here today on his way to Indianapolis on business.

John A. Keegler will go to Louisville this afternoon to spend several days with his sister.

Mrs. Joab Murphy came from Botterville this morning to visit her son, John Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tilford came from Louisville this morning to visit over Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. A. C. Kinnard left this morning for Chillicothe, O. to visit her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Hopewell.

Miss Mabel Hodapp went to Sparksville this morning to spend a few days with Mrs. J. L. Starr.

Miss Josephine Kersey, who has been the guest of Miss Elsie Neimeyer, left this morning for Chicago.

Miss Maude Dixon went to Cochran this morning to spend some time with her aunt, Mrs. Harry French.

Miss Anna Meyers, of Columbus, is here to visit her sister, Miss Gertrude Meyers and aunt, Mrs. Sallie Groff.

Miss Stella Wells has returned to Indianapolis after visiting Mrs. Charles Marley and Mrs. John Lee.

Mrs. Clarence Steward, who has been visiting Mrs. Walter Goens has returned to her home in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Jerome Zimmerman has returned to her home in Harrison, O. after visiting her sister, Miss Frances Tebb.

Mrs. Ed Eldridge went to Louisville this morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Margaret Lester, for a few days.

Miss Rose Rau went to Brownstown this morning to visit over Sunday with her sisters, Miss Leona and Louise Rau.

Mrs. Frank Bush returned Friday evening from Indianapolis where she has been spending a few days with Mrs. Louise Rains.

George Cowen, who has been spending the past week with his uncle, Morton Black, and family has returned to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Bert Riley and daughter came from Columbus last evening to visit over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Himler.

Mrs. Joseph Baxter and Mrs. Minnie Miles, of Shelbyville, came Friday evening to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Champion.

Miss Fern Ritter, a student at Franklin College, came home Friday to spend Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Ritter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sullivan returned to their home in Riverville this morning after attending the funeral of their niece, Ataska Speer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Himebaugh and daughter, of Jeffersonville, are here to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Himebaugh.

Mrs. Morton Black and children went to Aurora this morning to visit Mrs. Black's father, who has been sick for some time but is improving.

Mrs. D. A. Lucas returned home Friday evening from Princeton, where she has been visiting Mr. Lucas, who is a teacher in the Business College there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and daughters, Misses Helen and Harriett, went to Indianapolis this morning to see "Peg 'O My Heart" at the Murat.

Misses Mary and Carrie Heaton, who are students at the Seymour Business College, went to their home in Hayden last evening to visit until Monday.

Rev. M. T. Brandyberry arrived home this morning from Farmington, Iowa, where he went to officiate at the funeral services of Mrs. Brandyberry's grandmother.

Mrs. Mary Schorer, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Kress and family, left this morning for her home in Lafayette. Her grandson, Andrew Kress, accompanied her as

### SOCIAL EVENTS.

#### GUEST DAY.

One of the most delightful social events of the winter was held last night at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bollinger, on North Walnut street. The occasion was the celebration of the fifth annual Guest Day of the Seymour Magazine Club.

The event of the evening was an address by Rev. Wirt Lowther. In a few appropriate remarks Mrs. Kessler, president of the club, introduced the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Mr. Lowther, of Columbus, who so ably conducted the Seymour Chautauque of last summer.

Mr. Lowther for about an hour delighted his attentive listeners with his lecture, "The Mission of the Poet." He made evident to all the necessity, in this busy age for poetry, its insight into and amelioration of the poor and down-trodden; the value of poetry in the imagination; indicated and illustrated the phases in which the poet touches life—developing imagination, unfolding nature's manifestations, exalting our sense of the beautiful, and appealing to and revealing the human heart. God the great poet placed the poetic strain in all His creatures. With timely anecdotes—quaint humor was added to the subject which was handled with artistic and literary skill and depth of feeling.

During the social hour the guests gladly renewed acquaintance with Mr. Lowther while Mr. Will Masters and Mr. Don Bollinger added to the charm of the occasion by strains of delightful music.

The house was tastefully decorated with flags, smilax and ferns; the dining table adorned with a basket of yellow and white narcissuses. The club members wore pink roses, the club flower, presented by the hostess. The souvenirs were American shields and George Washington hatchets tied with the colonial colors. The refreshments were in keeping with the season, the ies being in the form of a shield adorned with the profile of Washington. Assisting the club members in the entertainment of about one hundred guests were the Misses Marjorie Hagan, Katherine Kessler, Helen Barnes, Doris Geile, Fay Parker and Magdalene Fetting.

#### Improving.

Sam Jones, who was struck by an engine at the railroad crossing at Chestnut street Monday night, is improving. He was riding a horse and the animal was slightly injured. Mr. Jones was thrown to the street but no bones were broken. He has been confined to his bed since the accident.

#### Brakeman Thrown From Car.

B. F. Collin, a B. & O. Southwestern brakeman on the Louisville Branch, was thrown from a car at Jeffersonville Friday night but was not seriously injured. He fell from a car of coal when it was derailed.

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far as Indianapolis and will visit over Sunday there.

Miss Bertha Fagan went to Washington this afternoon to visit over Sunday.

Sheriff Van Robertson, of Brownstown, was in the city this afternoon on business.

Miss Lillian Hoffmeyer went to Columbus this afternoon to visit over Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Chester Reed and son, of Columbus, came today to visit her mother, Mrs. Adelia White.

Mrs. George Loftus came from North Vernon this afternoon to visit Mrs. James Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reinhardt and son returned this afternoon from a visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

E. W. Peters, of West Clinton, who has been visiting here went to Louisville this morning to visit his mother before returning home.

Mrs. George Childers, of Cincinnati, is visiting her brother, Albert McGinnis and wife and Mrs. Frank Bush and Mrs. Frank Bush and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beatty, of Indianapolis, came this morning from Hayden where they have been visiting relatives for a week. After spending the day here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patrick, they returned to their home this evening.

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motor boats that could be made. He says he can convince the people of Seymour in a week's time that he can accomplish anything in the way of air flights and is ready to prove any of his statements. He closes his communication by saying that he expects to be a resident of Seymour by May 15th if he can find a suitable house. He also promises to send a sketch of one of his machines so it may be seen by persons who are interested in his proposed company and may desire to purchase stock in the corporation.

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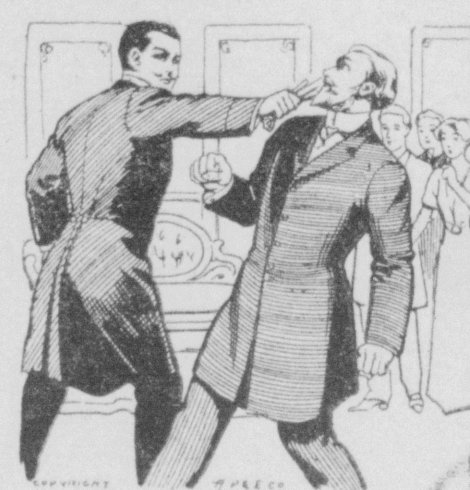


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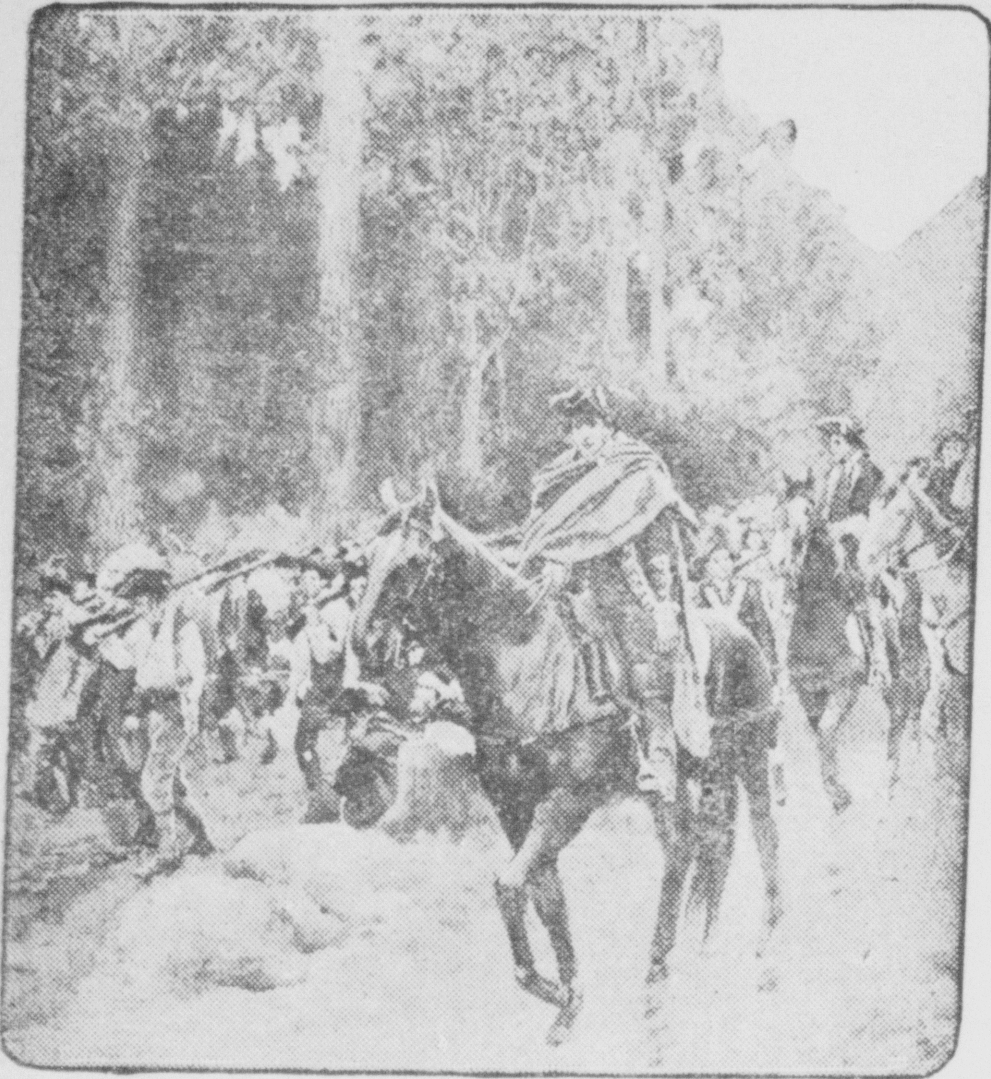
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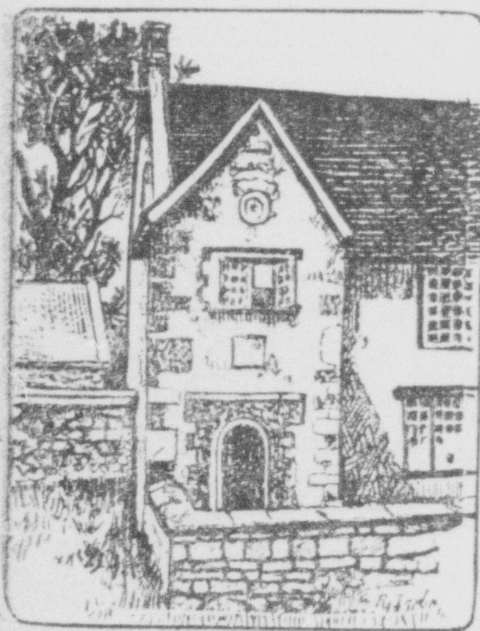
## IN THE DAYS OF TRIBULATION

WASHINGTON'S RETREAT FROM GREAT MEADOWS.  
—Howard Pyle.ENGLAND HONORS  
HER GREAT ENEMY

Erection of Statue to Washington  
in Westminster Abbey Is in  
Contemplation.

IN England they are already talking and planning for a great jubilee to celebrate a century of peace between the United States and Great Britain. This hundred years of peace will be rounded out Christmas eve, 1914, which will be the one hundredth anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Ghent—the pact which ended the War of 1812.

The peace celebration will be a three-sided affair, in which the United States, Great Britain and Canada will

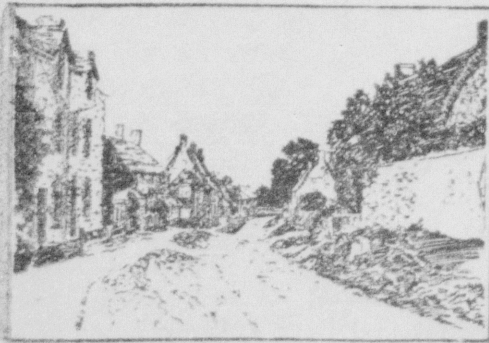


Sulgrave Manor House, the Ancestral Home of the Washingtons, Which Has Been Bought by American and English Admirers of the First President. The Price Paid Was \$40,000.

take part. Various tentative plans have been suggested as fitting for the occasion. Earl Grey of the British ministry believes that it would be a good plan to unveil a statue of George Washington in Westminster Abbey as a testimony to our ungrudging and generous recognition of the influence for good exerted on successive generations of the British as well as the American people by the example of his splendid qualities.

"The lamp of his character"—this is the part of a speech made by the earl and received with cheers by a British audience—"the lamp of his character has been a beacon which for nearly 150 years has enabled struggling humanity to steer through the darkness to a nobler and a higher life, and for this reason we think it is only right that we should make use of the opportunity provided by the approaching centennial to do his memory honor on British soil."

Members of the committee which has charge of the celebration in England have also completed the purchase of Sulgrave Manor, the ancestral home of the Washington family in England. It is proposed to convert this into a sort of Washington



Typical Country Road Near Sulgrave.

Museum, to which American tourists would be especially welcomed.

"On the walls of this ancient building," says the London Chronicle, "may still be seen the Washington coat of arms, which was the origin of the Stars and Stripes, thus showing that the national emblem of the United

BOYHOOD MUCH  
LIKE OTHER LADS

Fondness for Outdoor Life  
Marked Characteristic of  
Washington in His Youth.

By LOUISE S. DUN.

ACCORDING to the old entry in the family Bible George Washington's birth is recorded as follows: "A son to Augustine Washington and Mary, his wife, was born ye 11th of February, 1731, about tea in the morning."

As everyone knows by the parliamentary change in the calendar of 1732, the eleventh of the month became the twenty-second, while the settling of the doubt whether the year began on the first of January or the twenty-fifth of March, made the year in which Washington was born 1732 instead of 1731. And this important event took place near Fredericksburg, Va., on the Rappahannock.

From all the "Lives" and "Letters" extant we glean the fact that the lad who was destined to become "the greatest American of them all" spent his boyhood much like other lads of his age and position, perpetrating many pranks and receiving many whippings in consequence. On more than one occasion did he and his man Peter roast ears of corn in forbidden cabins of the field slaves or go on surreptitious coon hunts at night when all the house was asleep. In other words, young "Massa" did as he pleased when with Peter, to whose care he was entrusted more than ever after the elder Washington died in 1743, when George was a lad of eleven.

As a youngster Washington had a remarkable bump of curiosity which his father encouraged, but which to the contrary his mother disliked. As to the latter, we all know how foolishly fond she was of her children, allowing her love to interfere with her good judgment, many times, making herself miserable in their behalf. Yet there is no doubt that Washington's mother, as has been the case with all great men, had a potent influence over his life, and her strong character was afterwards reflected in the remarkable balance shown by her son in whatever situation he was placed.

After his father's death he was soon made to understand that he must do something for a living. By the provision of his father's will,



Fox Hunting Was Washington's Favorite Sport.

Mount Vernon was inherited by his brother, Lawrence, while the few acres on the Rappahannock were to be given George upon his becoming of age, though as a matter of fact he never claimed them. His sensible brother, Lawrence, and his half-brother, Augustine, disapproved of the easy life of the sons of planters and many animated discussions were held as to the future of their young brother.

Meantime, George was living with his half-brother, Augustine, though later he spent much time at Mount Vernon with Lawrence. It was while there that a family council resulted in the decision that George was to follow the sea. When the news reached Mrs. Washington, however, she was so upset that she hurried to Mount Vernon and begged her son to give up the idea of becoming a midshipman. Accordingly, the small chest of George, which had already been placed aboard a British vessel, was brought ashore.

It was many a day before the lad overcame his disappointment. His brother Lawrence comforted him with the assurance, "There are many roads in life; only one is barred to you." With characteristic bravery George never spoke of the matter to any one again, for as was his custom to the day of his death, Washington never recurred to a thing when once concluded.

It was after this disappointment that he turned his attention more definitely to surveying. In fact, he was greatly interested in exactness, and the educational value of surveying suited his taste. Even in his boyhood, from this period on he never found happiness in intercourse with his fellowmen or in reading; but it was in the active outdoor life that he was at his best. He was pronounced "a sober little prig" by no lesser personage than Lord Fairfax, when at fifteen he again took up his residence at Mount Vernon with Lawrence. On better acquaintance, Lord Fairfax changed his opinion, realizing that the lad was not cold and unresponsive by

nature but as shy as a girl. In due time a friendship sprang up between the two—the young lad and the older man—which had a tremendous influence on the after-life of George Washington.

It was during these years that Washington developed great personal strength and endurance, and because of these physical qualities it was frequently a temptation on land or water to put his powers to the test. In fact, his greatest pleasure seemed to be in encountering danger which apparently lifted him in body and mind



Martha Washington.

above his common level. During this time also his powers of decisiveness and swift judgment developed greatly. Riding was one of his greatest joys, and he early prepared for the years when he was to be so much in the saddle.

SHOWS WASHINGTON  
AS A YOUNG MAN

Remarkable Bust That Is Now  
the Property of an English  
Curio Dealer.

COLLECTORS will be interested in the recent discovery in London of a remarkable bust of George Washington. It is very doubtful if there exists a similar work, taken at the same time of life. Experts consider the "find" as throwing a new light on an interesting period of the career of the "Father of His Country."

Most of the statues made of Washington show him at an advanced age, when fame had crowned him with military and civic glory, but this new work depicts him in the "formative" stage of life—a young man just entering on his career.

This bust was put up for sale at Sotheby's auction rooms and sold for \$50. American buyers did not attend the sale in large numbers, as they were more interested, apparently, in the sale of Lord Anherst's great library. The consequence was that an English dealer—Rochelle Thomas—acquired a treasure which should have been bought by Americans who go in for collecting Washington relics. Mr. Thomas considers the bust a very fine specimen of French bronze work, the artist's name being Fournier. It seems quite probable that the work was done in America, though how it came to Europe is not, at present, known. Washington is shown in the uniform of a general, and the work represents him at a period corresponding with the second year of his leadership of the American army. The uniform is so modeled as to indicate active wear;

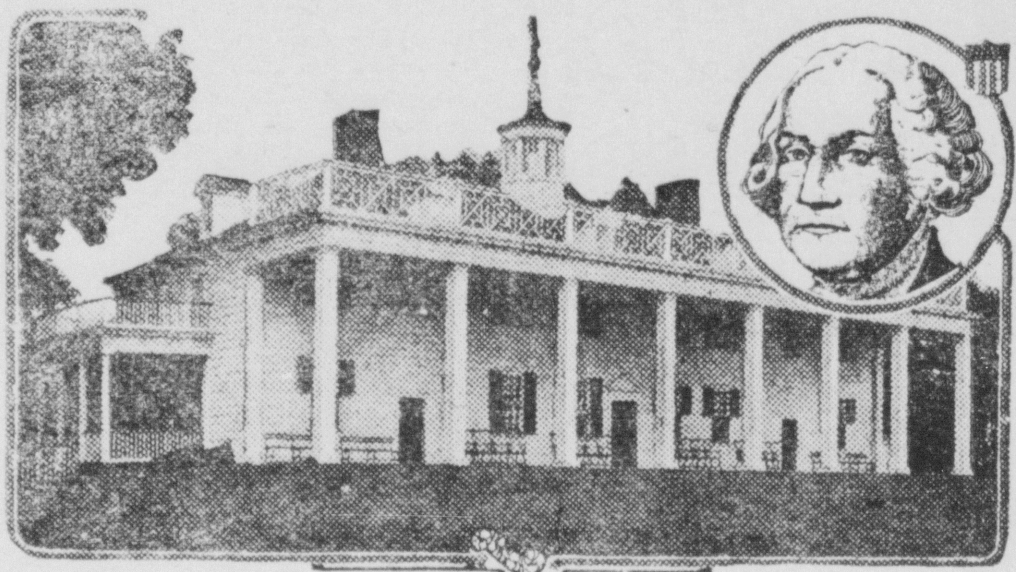


A Remarkable Bust of George Washington, Recently Sold at Auction in London.

while the top button of his single-breasted vest is characteristically open. The expression on the face is one of calm mastery. One of the curious features connected with this work is that Washington is shown wearing a "pigtail"—that is, the braided wig of the period.

Quite a number of relics of Washington, Franklin, William Penn and other American history makers recently have found their way to English auction rooms. These doubtless have come from old members of the respective families who have died and whose estates have been disposed of.

## MOUNT VERNON AND ITS IMMORTAL OWNER

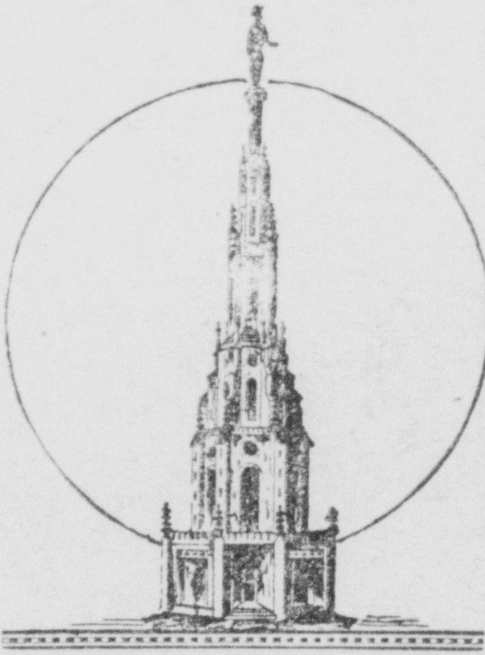
GREAT MONUMENT  
MERELY PROJECTED

Citizens of New York Planned to  
Honor Washington, But the  
Idea Was Abandoned.

SIXTY-five years ago the chief topic of interest among the citizens of New York, apart from the Mexican war which was then in progress, was the great Washington monument which it was proposed to erect in Hamilton Square, which covered the blocks now contained between Third and Fifth avenues, Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets.

That was six years before Central Park had been outlined. Hamilton Square was a portion of the old common lands of the city, and in the new city map prepared in 1807 by the street commissioners who laid out the city on its present rectangular lines, this plot was retained intact as a park. It appears on the maps of the city up to 1869, at which time it was wiped out of existence, the western part being sold and the eastern, including everything east of Park avenue, being allotted by the city to various institutions, as the Normal college, the Seventh regiment, the New York Foundling asylum, Mount Sinai, and Hahnemann hospitals, most of which still occupy large sections of the old square.

The very name of Hamilton Square, as well as the towering monument, for which several thousand dollars



was raised, are among the things which have passed into history. They have wellnigh been forgotten. The Washington monument got as far as the laying of the cornerstone. It was a big event, calling forth what was said to have been the largest and most enthusiastic parade held in the city up to that time.

George W. Morris, the most popular poet of the time, wrote a poem in honor of the occasion; the governor of the state, the mayor of the city, and a host of lesser lights and officials were in attendance. Backed by an organization known as the Washington Monument association, incorporated by the legislature, and including among its trustees many of the wealthiest merchants of the city, the patriotic citizens looked forward eagerly to the completion of a monument costing at least \$1,000,000, which promised to rise to such a height on the high land of Hamilton Square as to make it visible to mariners 50 miles at sea.

The history of this Washington monument movement, which reached its climax on October 19, 1847, and then suddenly lapsed into oblivion, dates from 1833 when, headed by Gov. Morgan Lewis, a large number of influential citizens determined that New York should erect to the memory of George Washington the grandest monument in the country. They were incorporated by the legislature as the Washington Monument association.

No serious effort appears to have been made to raise money. In 1843 the project was renewed, but this also met with no better success. Spurred on by the efforts of Isaac S. Lyon, one of the noteworthy characters of the time, whose occupation was that of a humble cartman, the third association under the same name was incorporated in March, 1847, and this was the only one that showed any genuine activity. Lyon's efforts for the cause consisted chiefly in a pamphlet which he wrote and widely circulated, entitled "The Washington Monument, Shall It Be Built?" an address which he dedicated to the citizens of New York in 1846.

"Let it be such a monument as earth never saw before," he said, "for it will be dedicated to the memory

of earth's paragon of human greatness. Let its foundation be laid deep in the solid earth, and let its summit tower high above all surrounding objects—the delight and admiration of every beholder—beautiful in the sunshine, majestic in the storm, the last object that shall linger in the gaze of the wanderer as he steams down our noble bay, and the first that shall break upon his enraptured vision when he returns."

The humble cartman estimated the probable cost of the monument at \$500,000, although the design, as afterwards adopted, called for an expenditure of about \$1,000,000. Lyon, however, worked out a simple method for raising the money, and had the citizens responded there would probably now be a towering shaft as a memorial to Washington within a block or so of the Normal College building.

"A correct census of the city," explained Lyon, "would probably exhibit a population of 400,000 souls, one-fourth, at least, of whom would be able to contribute something towards such a noble work. Suppose that 100,000 of our population should agree to contribute one dollar a year for five years toward defraying the expenses. At the end of five years we should present the country with a monumental structure to the memory of George Washington such as no country has ever reared to the memory of its most distinguished benefactor."

## ADVICE ALL SHOULD HEED

Pithy Sayings Attributed to Washington Show Strong Good Sense of the First President.

Undertake not what you cannot perform; but be careful to keep your promise.

Vile words should not be used in jest or in earnest. Scoff at none, although they give occasion.

Haste not to relate news if you know not the truth thereof. In talking of things you have heard, name not your author always. A secret disposed not.

Associate yourself with men of good quality if you value your reputation, for it is better to be alone than in bad company.

Speak not when others speak, sit not when others stand, walk not when others stop.

Zealously strive to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire called conscience.

Think before you speak; pronounce not imperfectly, nor bring out your words too hastily, but orderly and distinctly.

Speak no evil of the absent; it is unjust.

Let us have a government by which our lives, our liberties and properties will be secure.

Be not hasty to believe flying reports to the disparagement of any.

When you speak of God or his attributes, let it be seriously, in reverence.

## WHERE HISTORY WAS MADE



Washington's Headquarters at Valley Forge.

A Washington Note.  
One of the minor historical mysteries is whether George Washington ever held a commission in the British army. In 1743 one George Washington was gazetted to a colonelcy in the Queen's Royal Regiment of Dragoons. The George Washington in question was never on the active list, and it is quite within the bounds of possibility that the man who made the great American republic may actually have held a British commission.—Dundes Advertiser.



## The Valiants of Virginia

By  
Hallie Erminie  
Rives  
(Mrs. Post Wheeler)

Illustrated by Lauren Stout

### CHAPTER XXVI.

The Doctor speaks. While the vibrant strings hummed and sang through the roses, and the couples drifted on tireless and content, or blissfully "sat out" dances on the stairway, Katharine Fargo held her stately court no less gaily for the stealthy doubt that was creeping over her spirit. She had been so certain of what would happen that evening that when her father (between cigars on the porch with Judge Chalmers and Doctor Southall) had searched her out under a flag-of-truce, she had sent him to the right-about, laughingly declining to depart before royalty. But number followed number, and the knight in purple and gold had not paused again before her. Now the scarlet cloak no longer flaunted among the dancers, and the white satin gown and sparkling coronal had disappeared. The end of the next "round-dance" found her subsiding into the flower-banked alcove suddenly distraught amid her escort's sallies. It was at this moment that she saw, entering the corridor from the garden, the missing couple.

It was not the faint flush on Shirley's cheek—that was not deep—nor was it his nearness to her, though they stood closely, as lovers might. But there was in both their faces a something that resurgent conventionality had not had time to cover—a trembling reflection of that "light that never was, on sea or land"—which was like a death-stab to what lay far deeper than Katharine's heart, her pride. She drew swiftly back, dismayed at the sudden verification, and for an instant her whole body chilled.

A craving for a glass of water has served its purpose a thousand times; as her cavalier solicitously departed to fetch the cooling draught, she rose, and carelessly humming the refrain the music had just left off, sauntered lightly out by another door to the open air. A swift glance about her showed her she was unobserved and she stepped down to the grass and along the winding path to a bench at some distance in the shrubbery. Here the smiling mask slipped from her face and with a shiver she dropped her hot face in her hands.

There were no tears. The wave that was welling over her was one of bitter humiliation. She had shot her bolt and missed—she, Katharine Fargo! For three years she had held John Valiant, romantically speaking in the hollow of her shapely hand. Now she had all but thrown herself at his feet—and he had turned away to this flame-haired, vivid girl whom he had not known as many months!

Heavy footfalls all at once approached her—two men were coming from the house. There was the spitting crackle of a match, and as she peered out, its red flare lighted the massive

face and floating hair of Major Bristow. His companion's face was in the shadow. She waited, thinking they would pass; but to her annoyance, when she looked again, they had seated themselves on a bench a few paces away.

To be found mooning in the shrubbery like a schoolgirl did not please her, but it seemed there was no recourse, and she had half arisen, when the major's gruff-voiced companion spoke a name that caused her to sit down abruptly.

"Bristow, Shirley's a magnificent girl."

"Finest in seven counties," agreed the major's bass.

"Whom do you reckon she'll choose to marry?"

"Chilly Lusk, of course. The boy's been in love with her since they were in bibs. And he comes as near being fit for her as anybody."

"Hump!" said the other sardonically. "No man I ever saw was half good enough for a good woman. But good women marry just the same. It isn't Lusk, I used to think it would be, but I've got a pair of eyes in my head, if you haven't. It's young Valiant."

The pearl fan twisted in Katharine's fingers. What she had guessed was an open secret, then!

The major made an exclamation that had the effect of coming after a jaw-dropped silence. "I—I never thought of that!"

The other resumed slowly, somewhat bitterly, it seemed to the girl listening. "If her mother was in love with Sassoon—"

Katharine's heart beat fast and then stood still. Sassoon! That was the name of the man Valiant's father had killed in that old duel of which Judge Chalmers had told! "If her mother—" Shirley Dandridge's mother—"was in love with Sassoon!" Why—"Was she?"

The major's query held a sharpness that seemed almost appeal. She was conscious that the other had faced about abruptly.

"I've always believed so, certainly. If she had loved Valiant, would she have thrown him over merely because he broke his promise not to be a party to a quarrel?"

"You think not?" said the major huskily.

"Not under the circumstances. Valiant was forced into it. No gentleman, at that day, could have declined the meeting. He could have explained it to Judith's satisfaction—a woman doesn't need much evidence to justify the man she's in love with. He must have written her—he couldn't have gone away without that—and if she had loved him, she would have called him back."

The major made no answer. Katharine saw a cigar fall unheeded upon the grass, where it lay glowing like a panther's eye.

The other had risen now, his stooped figure bulking in the moonlight. His voice sounded harsh and strained: "I loved Beauty Valiant," he said, "and his son is his son to me—but I have to think of Judith, too. She faints, Bristow, when she saw him—Shirley told me about it. Her mother has made her think it was the scent of the roses! He's his father's living image, and he's brought the past back with him. Every sound of his voice, every sight of his face, will be a separate stab! Oh, his mere presence will be enough for Judith to bear. But with her heart in the grave with Sassoon, what would love between Shirley and young Valiant mean to her? Think of it!"

He broke off, and there was a blank of silence, in which he turned with almost a sigh. Then Katharine saw him reach the bench with a single stride and drop his hand on the bowed shoulder.

"Bristow!" he said brusquely. "You're ill! This confounded philandering at your time of life!"

The major's face looked ashy pale, but he got up with a laugh. "Not I," he said; "I was never better in my life! We've had our mouthful of air. 'Come on back to the house.'"

"Not much!" grunted the other. "I'm going where we both ought to, have been hours ago." He threw away his cigar and stalked down the path into the darkness.

The major stood looking after him till he had disappeared, then suddenly dropped on the bench and covered his face. Something like a groan burst from him.

"My God!" he said, and his voice came to Katharine with a quaver of age and suffering—very different from the jovial accents of the ballroom—"if I were only sure it was Sassoon!" Presently he rose, and went slowly toward the lighted doorway.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Mammoth Molar. When the real estate man came into the Curbsone club headquarters he proudly displayed a tooth which he said had just been pulled by a dentist.

"Doc said it's one of the biggest he ever saw," he exclaimed. The ancient carpenter, who is known as the club Ananias, inspected the molar with an apparent lack of interest.

"It's nothing compared with one I had pulled once," he finally observed. "Get out!" ejaculated the real estate man. "You don't mean to tell me you had a bigger tooth than that?"

"Sure I do," the carpenter declared. "When I showed it to my boss the next day he thought it was a milk stool."—Youngstown Telegram.

Not Flattered. "Really, Willie, you look more like your father every day."

"Quit your guyin', maw."—Life.

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## ARBITRATION TREATY SUPPORTED BY SENATE

### A Non-Partisan Rally in the President's Behalf.

Washington, Feb. 21.—On the ratification of the arbitration treaties in the senate the first test vote resulted in a complete victory for President Wilson's arbitration policy. The vote came on Senator Chamberlain's amendment offered to the Spanish treaty, but which if adopted would have covered all of the pending treaties. The amendment was lost forty to thirteen. The amendment proposed to exempt from arbitration questions involving either of four things, the application of the Monroe doctrine, immigration questions, Panama canal tolls and the right of aliens to admission to the public schools of this country.

The vote was a non-partisan one. For example Senators Lodge and Root opposed the amendment and will vote for the ratification of the treaties. They are both Republicans. On the other hand Senator O'Gorman, Senator Chamberlain and Senator Lane, all supporters of the administration in most things, voted for the Chamberlain amendment.

The two California senators, Perkins, Republican, and Works, Republican voted for the amendment, as did Senator Poindexter, a Bull Moose, from Washington state. It now is apparent that the final vote of ratification of the pending treaties is near at hand. The opposition to the treaties appeared to be overwhelmed by the vote on the Chamberlain amendment, which was a blanket affair intended to rally to its support every senator who objected to the form of the treaties.

Fatal Dynamite Explosion. Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 21.—Peter Repperrath, a farmer north of here, and an assistant were blasting gravel in a pit. They had planted five charges of the dynamite, and only four of them exploded on time. Repperrath walked toward the fifth charge to see what was causing the trouble. There was a terrific explosion, and he was blown twenty feet down a hillside. There is little hope for his recovery.

Fifteen Saloon Keepers Fined. Logansport, Ind., Feb. 21.—Fifteen saloon keepers arrested on two charges, for keeping open on a holiday and having others than themselves and families in the saloon on Lincoln's birthday, were fined \$10 and costs in each case.

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At Chicago. Wheat—No. 2 red, 96¾c. Corn—No. 2, 63¾c. Oats—No. 2, 41¾c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.65; stockers and feeders, \$5.00 @ 7.90. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.70. Sheep—\$4.75 @ 5.90. Lambs—\$6.75 @ 7.85.

At St. Louis. Wheat—No. 2 red, 95¾c. Corn—No. 2, 66¾c. Oats—No. 2, 42c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.25. Hogs—\$6.40 @ 8.55. Sheep—\$3.75 @ 5.55. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 8.00.

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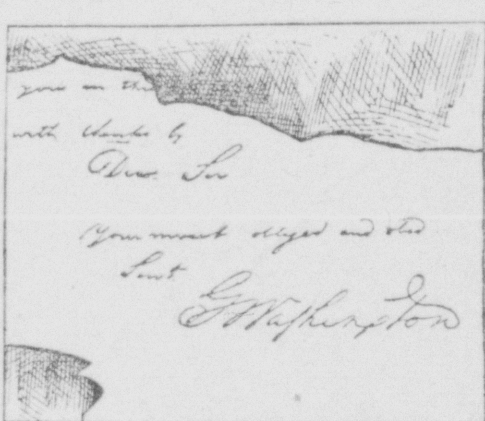
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Fac Simile of Signature of George Washington.

bishop of Maryland, who in turn had it from his father, a resident of New York City.

The letter follows:

"Headquarters, 3d December, 1782.—Dear Sir: Your favors of the 21st September and 24th and 26th October came regularly to hand, as they contained only intelligence of the movements of the enemy's fleet, and required no particular answer, I did not think it worth while to give the Chain of Expresses the trouble of riding the whole way back to you.

"You must have seen the resolve of congress by which Captain Asgill was released. All things considered, I question whether the determination of congress upon the proceedings of Lippincott's court martial would have been different from what it has been, had not the courts of France interceded warmly in Captain Asgill's favor, but after a request made by the prime minister in which he expresses the wishes of their majesties that Captain Asgill's life might be saved there was scarcely no possibility of refusing, more especially as Sir Guy Carleton promised to prosecute still further the persons who might be found guilty of Captain Huddy's murder. I have lately written to him and begged him to inform me what steps had been taken.

"The report that General Carleton had pledged his word that during his command no small parties should come within the American lines or to any part of our shores is not literally true. But I have reason to believe that he has taken measures to discountenance and discourage all acts of violence on the part of the refugees. Indeed we had an instance of it a few days past. Two of Sheldon's Dragoons were taken off their post by a party of refugees from Monisania, and carried off to Kings Bridges. They were immediately returned with their horses, arms and accoutrements to Colonel Sheldon, intimating that as they had been captured without proper authority it was not thought justifiable to detain them. Upon the whole, sir, I cannot help hoping that the savage kind of desultory war which we have long experienced is at an end.

"There will be no occasion for you any longer keeping a lookout upon the coast, or a communication with Morris Town. But should there in future be any uncommon arrival at New York either of ships of war or transports with troops, or should an embarkation of any consequence take place, you will very much oblige me by sending a particular express. You will now be pleased to furnish me with an account of all the expenses which have been incurred by you in this last business and it shall be repaid with thanks by, dear sir, your much obliged and obedient servant,

"G. WASHINGTON.

"GENERAL FORMAN."

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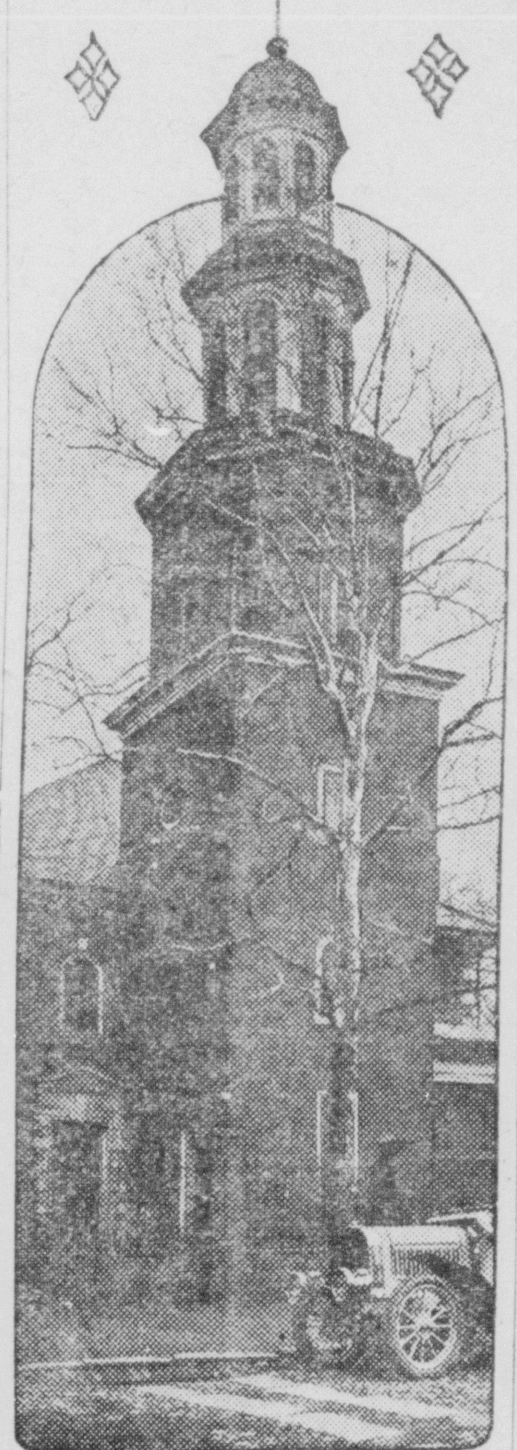
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Christ Church, Alexandria.

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B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Conquest Missionary program. Leader, Mrs. Voss Cox.

All are invited to these services. Chas. L. Graham, Pastor.

HOME DEPARTMENT MEETINGS. Class No. 1—Wednesday at 2:30 with Mrs. Hattie Pritchard, corner 3rd and Blish streets.

Class No. 2—Wednesday at 2:30 with Mrs. Ethel Owens, 301 High street.

Class No. 3—Wednesday at 2:30 with Mrs. A. V. Lawell, 424 S. Walnut street.

Class No. 4—Wednesday at 2:30 with Mrs. James Blair, N. Lynn St.

### Christian Church.

Bible School at 9:30 a. m. Dr. David L. Robeson will be in charge. We must make a good showing tomorrow. Brownstown beat us in both points last Sunday. That means that we must get busy. Let every member of the church and school be on time tomorrow at 9:30. No one is counted in the contest unless they are there before 10 a. m. So we urge every one of you to be with us tomorrow.

Communion preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and also at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at both services.

The pastor is to preach a special sermon "On American Liberty." The Junior Order of American Mechanics will attend in a body.

All of our friends are invited to attend all of these services.

Edward L. Pettus, Pastor.

### St. Paul Evangelical Church.

Sunday School at 9 a. m. Let every scholar and especially all members of our adult class make an effort to be present. Our record for 1913 was good thus far. Help keep it up. German divine worship at 10:15 a. m. Y. P. S. prayer meeting at 6:45 p. m. English evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon, "The World's need and Christ's offer." Good music at all services and a very cordial invitation to everyone. On Wednesday evening at 7:30 midweek bible study. Thursday afternoon at 2:30 the postponed social meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society. Mrs. August Cordes and Mrs. H. R. Boesch will entertain. H. R. Boesch, Pastor.

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Sunday School at 2 p. m. Church services every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock led by one of the members. Come and help us. Every body welcome. W. R. Bedel, S. S. Supt.

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South Side with Mrs. John Fleckhearty, 215 W. Oak St.

West Side, with Mrs. Dannettell, 434 W. 4th street Thursday 2:30 p. m.

Men's Washington Banquet Monday evening, to which the public is cordially invited. Supper from 6 to 8, followed by program.

It is urged that everybody be at Sunday School by 9:15 a. m. Something important. Do not miss it.

### Nazarene.

Sunday services: Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Preaching 10:30 a. m. Young People's meeting 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.

The faith of our people is rising higher every day and we are expecting a revival to break out at any time. We feel more determined than ever to fight sin wherever we find it. God's word is just as real today as in Daniel's day, or when the Roman seal was broken that sealed the tomb which contained the body of Jesus.

M. T. Brandyberry, Pastor.

### German M. E. Church.

Sunday School at 9 a. m. Martin Hodapp, Superintendent. Preaching service at 10:30 in German. Subject of sermon, "The Final Revelation in Jesus Christ." At 6:45 Epworth League. Junior department led by Mr. Charles A. Hemmer and Miss Minnie Schleter. Senior department by Miss Mabel Hodapp. English evening service at 7:30. The sermon by the pastor, subject, "A Psalmist's Philosophy of History."

W. A. Schraff, Pastor.

### Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School 9:15 a. m. Morning Worship 10:30 o'clock. Sermon theme: "Our English Bible And How We Got It." Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship 7:15 o'clock. Sermon theme: "Washington and Our Republic."

M. E. Pratter, Minister.

### Christian Science.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Mind."

Testimonial meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. To our services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited and welcome.

### Catholic Church.

Low Mass at 8 a. m. High Mass at 10 a. m. Vespers and Benediction at 3 p. m.

## If You are Subject to Colds This Editorial will Interest You.

A Great Majority of People Get One or More Colds Every Season and It is of Vital Interest to All to Learn How to Avoid and Relieve Colds Quickly, Since Colds are Said to be Contagious.

Some people think colds are only caught through exposure. This in return is contradicted by the fact that Arctic explorers are peculiarly free from colds. It is more generally accepted that colds are the result of civilized life, due to super-heated rooms and a very rapid change in temperature which causes the nerve centers to be depressed, and still more largely due to contagion—one member of a family imparting a cold to another by sneezing or coughing.

A cold means nothing if relieved quickly. That such a purpose may be accomplished, a quick aid to a cold is an essential. A remedy especially devised to relieve colds quickly is PERUNA.

PERUNA contains such ingredients that have an especially beneficial influence upon the inflamed mucous membranes and the quicker these mucous membranes are given the benefit of a remedy like PERUNA, the quicker the relief and the less contagion.

A neglected cold may become a serious menace to one's own life, and far worse, may endanger one's family.

We insure our homes against fire, our lives against death. Why should we not insure ourselves against colds if possible by having a medicine in the family chest that can be used at once?

PERUNA is a reliable household remedy for colds and should be in every home, for there should be a desire to combat a cold as quickly as possible. This is enlightened hygiene.

People who are feeble and run down are more subject to colds than persons in normal health. Such persons need outdoor life and PERUNA to help build up a strong constitution. If you have a poor appetite that is often a warning that you probably need a tonic like Peruna for Peruna aids the digestive organs. When your appetite is fair and work and exercise do not quickly tire you, your susceptibility to colds diminishes very much.

Persons who object to liquid medicines can now obtain PERUNA TABLETS.

## IS DELEGATE TO NATIONAL MEETING

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in charge of the girls' classes. When he became superintendent of the local schools he divided the classes according to this plan and finds that the results are far more satisfactory. L. A. Ackerman is in charge of the boys' classes and Miss Amy Roegge is the teacher of the girls' classes.

This plan is one of the advance ideas in educational circles and has not been inaugurated in many schools of Indiana. Prof. Mott divided the classes in Richmond several years ago and the courses have been much more satisfactory than when the subjects were taught to both boys and girls at the same time. "The idea of a young man teaching physiology and hygiene to boys is ridiculous" declared Superintendent Mott. "It is necessary for her to entirely overlook many phases of the subjects and such omissions are always noticed and commented upon by the members of the class. In teaching these courses in our schools the teachers can present the subjects thoroughly and are in a position to answer questions which may be asked by the pupils without embarrassment to any one."

The position held by Prof. Mott at the National Council is regarded as a high honor by educators. His activity at the National meeting will be complimentary to the local school system.

At the request of Seth Low, former president of Columbia, Prof. Mott has also been asked to become a member of Citizens' Third International Peace Conference which was held at New York City this month. He was unable to attend but hopes to be present at the next meeting in April. Among those actively interested in the movement are some of the most prominent educators in the United States.

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### Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Thos. Hays, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

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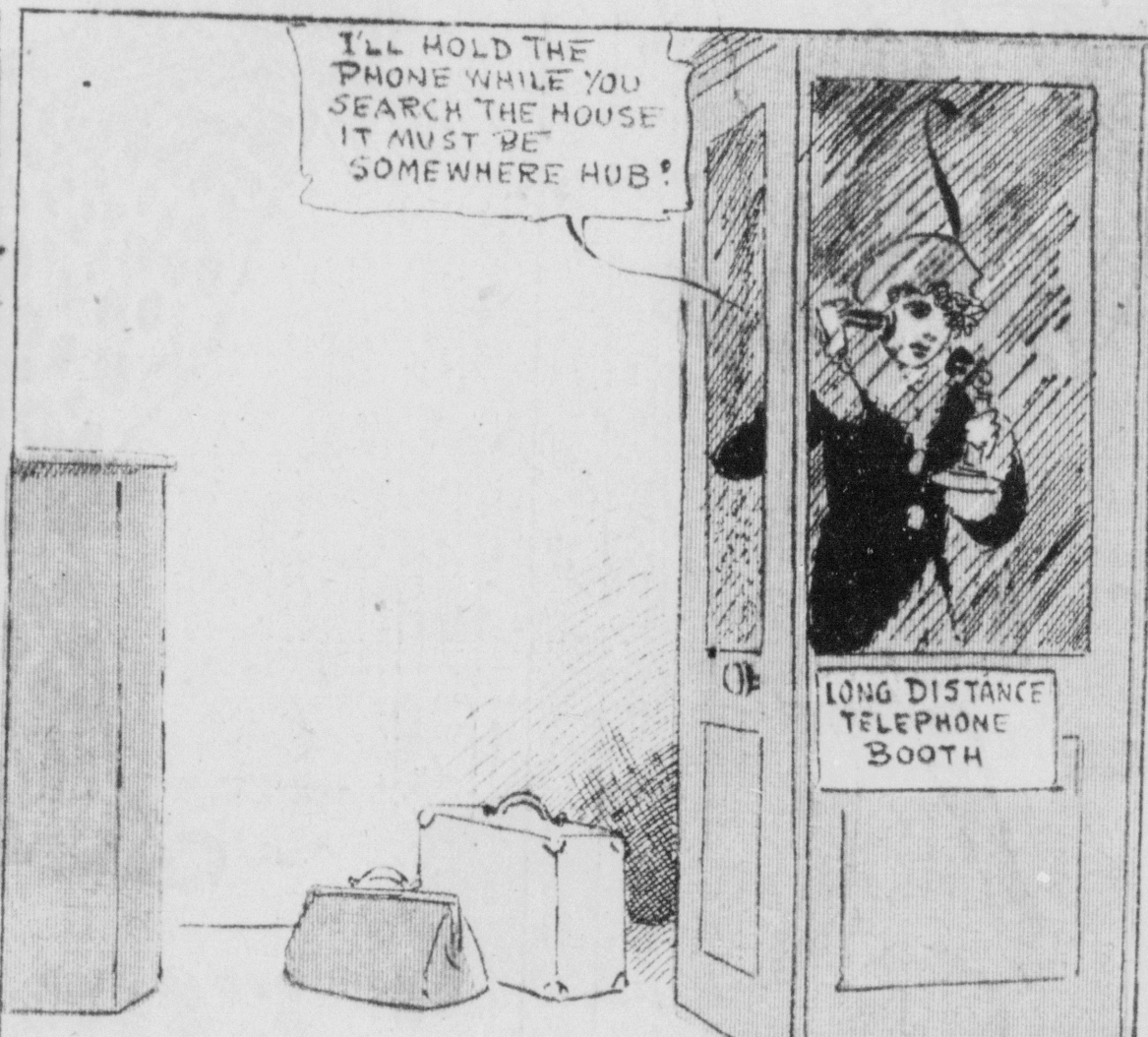
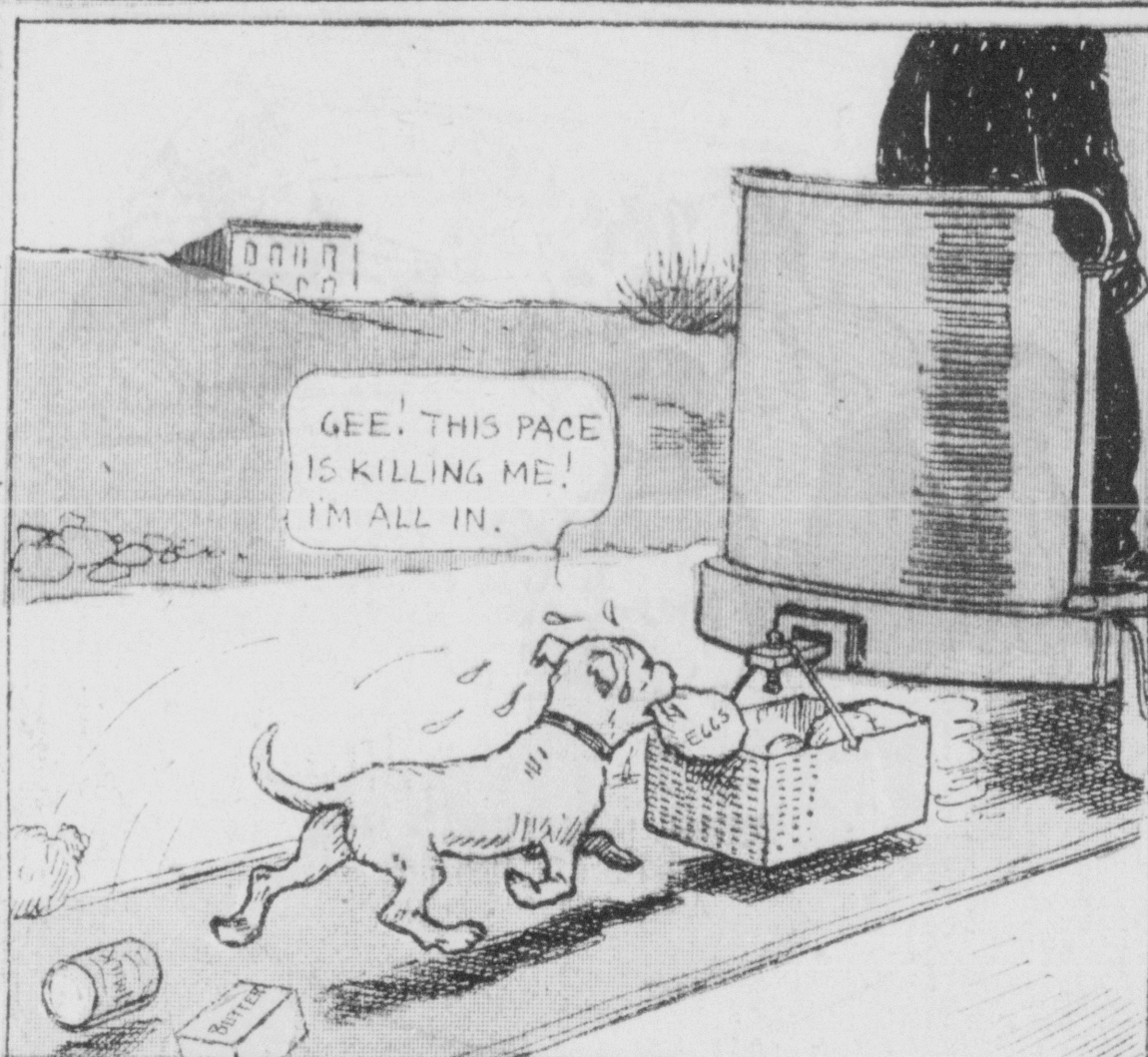
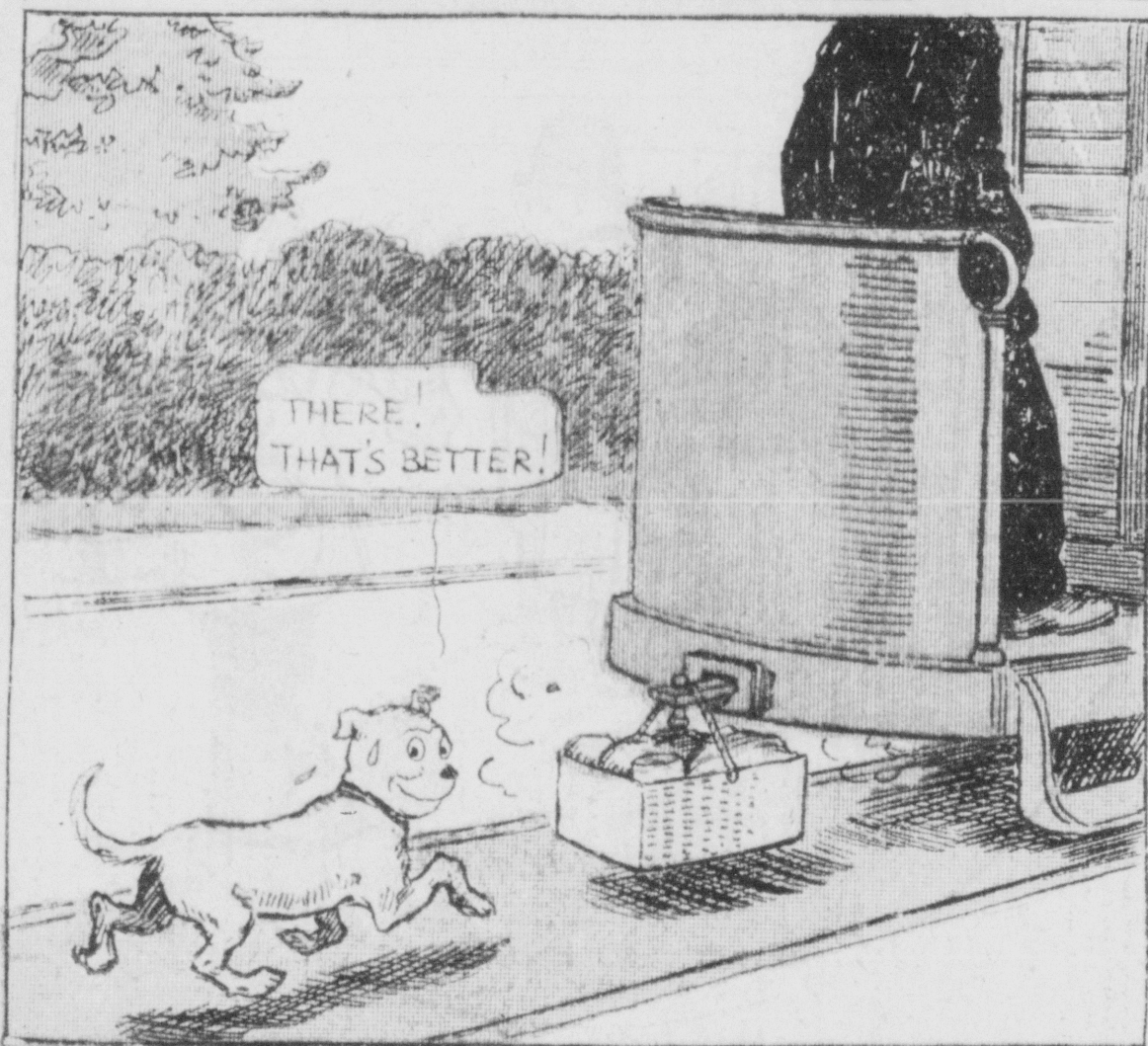
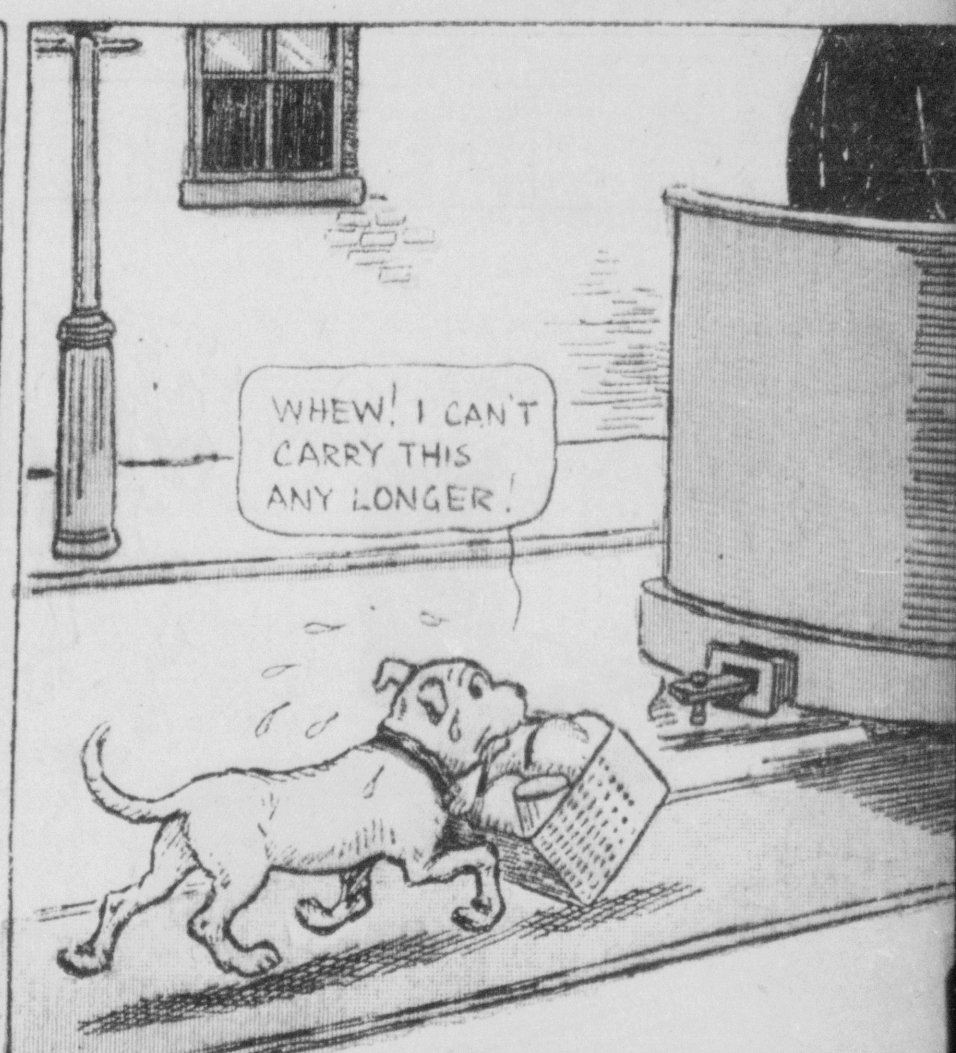
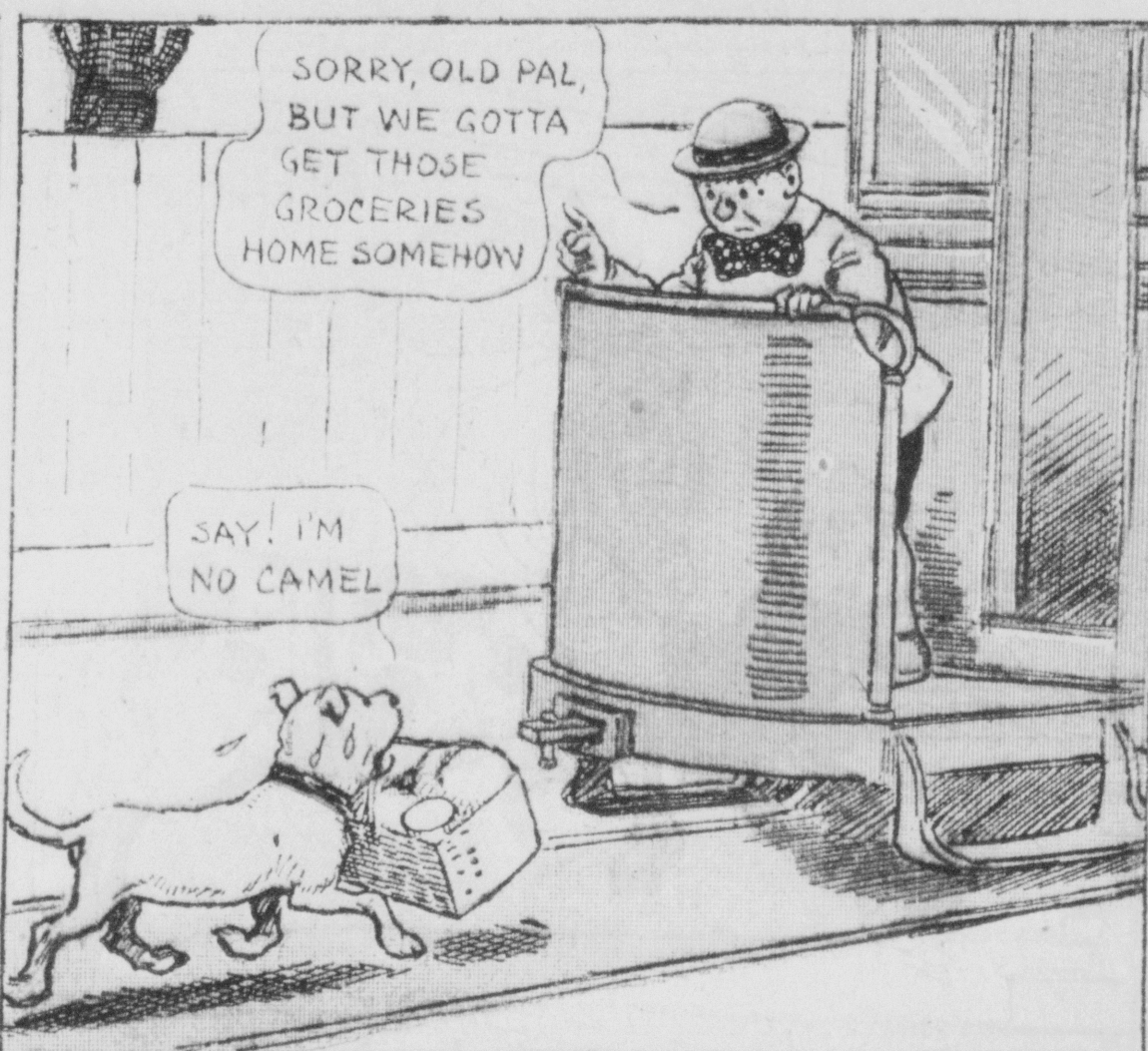


**LUCKY HORSESHOES**  
 She—Do you believe in horseshoes as  
 an emblem of luck?  
 He—Yes, if they are on the winning  
 horse.

# Clumsy Claude

**The Groceries Were Lost  
 But the Dog Was Saved**

**PLENTY OF TIME**  
 "Papa, I want an ice cream."  
 "All right, dear, remind me of  
 this is only Tuesday."





# Now the Boys Won't Hop Sleighs When Duke's Around!

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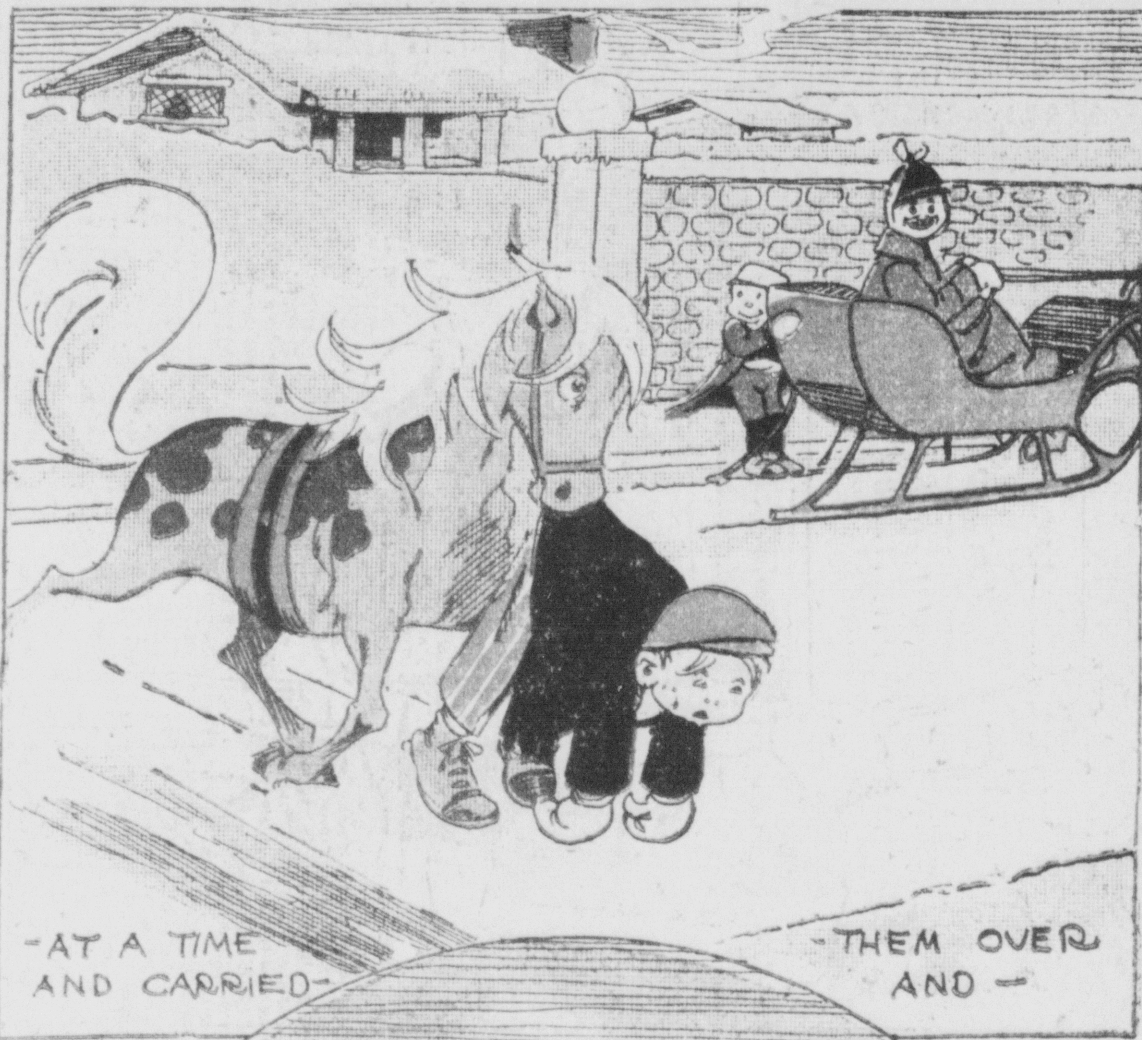
MY  
SAW  
OYS JUMPING

-I WAS AFRAID  
THEY MIGHT GET  
HURT, SO-



-I PULLED THEM

OFF, ONE



-AT A TIME  
AND CARRIED-

-THEM OVER  
AND -



DUMPED THEM  
IN THE SNOW-



THEN, AFTER I HAD  
ROUNDED THEM  
ALL UP -



-ANDY CAME OUT AND  
HELPED ME GIVE 'EM  
A LITTLE HORSE  
SENSE!

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## ANNA BELLE'S Colonial Party

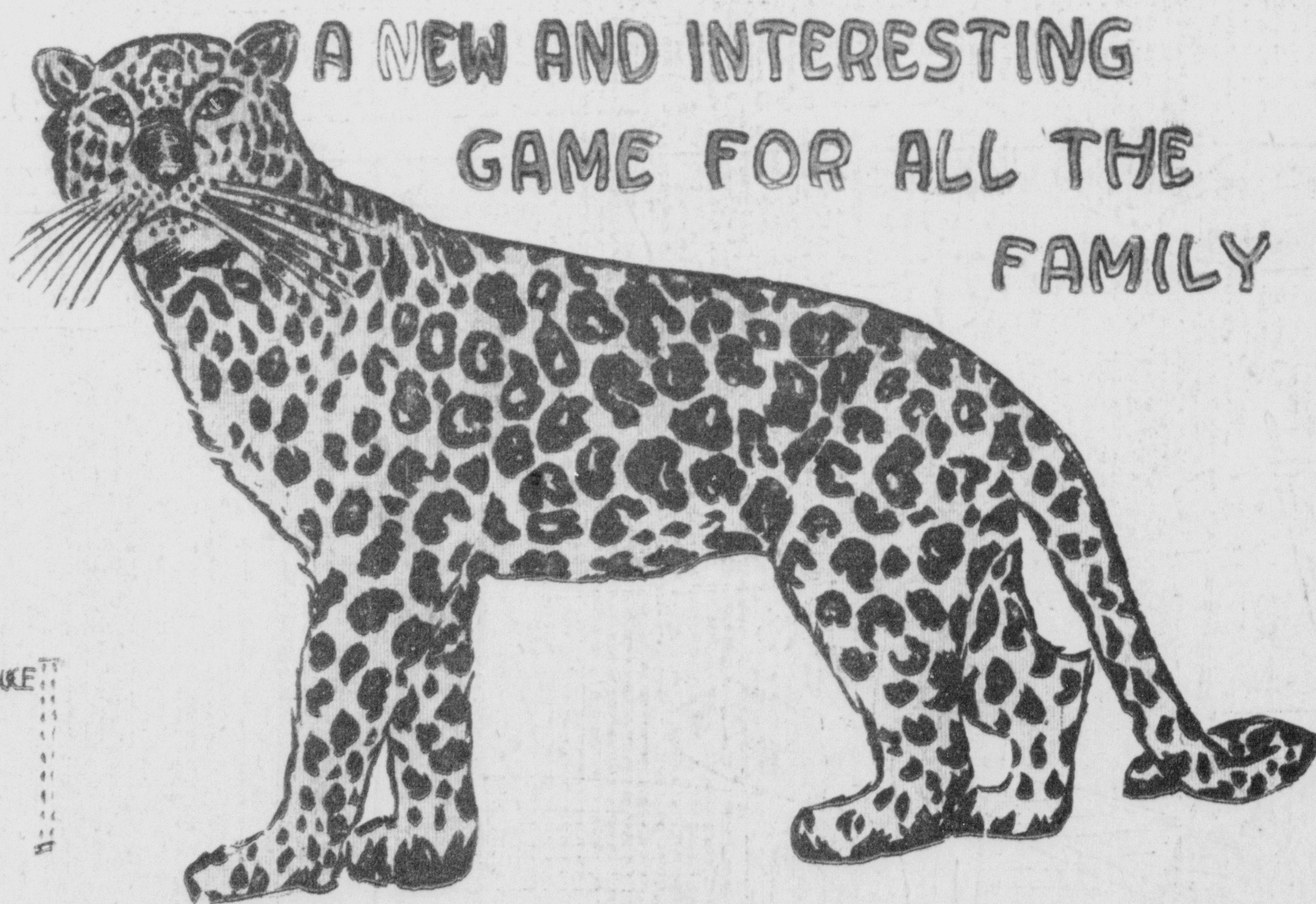


Dear Friends—On Friday night I gave a Colonial party, and I'm sure you will enjoy seeing the costumes we wore. Willie Simpson—of course you remember him—represented George Washington and I was a typical Colonial dame. Everyone seemed to enjoy the evening very much and as I gave the party for the benefit of our SEWING SOCIETY, of course, we had quite a crowd.

Dear old Uncle Ezra dressed up as a Revolutionary war gunner and amused everyone by snapping a toy cannon at them. He insisted on paying us a dollar for admission, and of course, that was very nice. I wish you had an Uncle Ezra like mine.

Hope you are doing just fine in SEWING SOCIETY work and that you are assisting many poor boys and girls. Several days ago our Society helped two poor families who had neither coal nor wood for a fire and hardly a thing to eat. Now I must close with love to each one and hoping that the New Year is bringing you many pleasures. Your loving

Anna Belle



## LEOPARD SPOTS

To play this fascinating game first cut out this entire section and paste on heavy cardboard. As many may play as wish and the one selected for first go places a penny on the leopard's head, directly between his eyes, and with a flip of the finger thumps the penny in direction of the 3 numbered circles or spots below. The circle on which the penny stops is the number of points made. Each player takes his or her turn until the first player to reach a total of 12 points wins the game. You will notice that the center circle gives two points and the two outer ones one point each. This is a dandy game for a party, so save it and use it when you give one.

